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WITNESS SAW WEBSTER ENTER SCHORR WOODS

WIFE ENTERED WITH HIM, BUT HE CAME OUT ALONE.

IS LAST EVIDENCE NEEDED

Sheriff Delaney Says No Further Evidence Is Needed to Convict the Doctor.

A witness, whose name is being carefully guarded so that he may not be tampered with by the defense, is reported to have been discovered by the state, whose evidence will prove the last necessary bit to send Dr. Harry E. Webster to the gallows for the murder of his wife, Bessie Kent Webster, on or about Saturday, Sept. 16, in the Schorr woods northeast of this city.

The new witness, who added his important statements Saturday, is reported to have seen the doctor and the murdered woman enter the woods on the day mentioned, and is also reported to have seen the man come out of the woods alone. This important bit of news is neither denied or affirmed by Sheriff Delaney of Ogle county, but that official wears absolute evidence of satisfaction, and in every way intimates that all of the necessary evidence to secure the death penalty for the young hospital interne who is now confined in the Ogle county jail has been secured.

Prisoner Morose.

Webster, according to reports received by this paper today, is beginning to show the effects of his confinement. Now that his trial has been continued until the next term of court and he is alone most of the time without excitement, and with nothing but his books and thoughts of the woman whom he is accused of murdering, to which cold-blooded murder he has already confessed, to keep him company, he is gradually giving way to his surroundings, and there is every reason to believe that long before his case comes to trial he will augment his former confession with a complete story of the awful crime.

Clothes Story Explained.

The possibility of the clothes discovered last week by W. W. Gigous being those of the murdered woman was exploded Saturday when it was learned that a number of people of that vicinity had seen the clothes under the Wragg bridge long before the date of the alleged murder.

In an interview with this paper today Sheriff Delaney stated that the clothes found last week could be in no way connected with the murder. In reply to questions concerning the discovery of new evidence, Sheriff Delaney stated that he had nothing definite to give out for publication. "We have all the witnesses we need," said he, "and don't let anything worry you about our not having a case. We have everything we could possibly need against Webster, and we don't care whether he ever tells another thing about the case."

NEW FAST TRAIN ON ILLINOIS CENTRAL

WILL RUN FROM ST. LOUIS TO OMAHA, VIA DIXON AND FREEPORT.

The Illinois Central is planning to put on a fast train between St. Louis and Omaha. This train will run via Springfield, Dixon and Freeport, giving what Dixon has long desired, a fast train service over the Illinois Central.

TRAINS LATE FRO WEST.

Because of traffic difficulties in the west the through passenger trains, Nos. 10 and 16, eastbound, on the Northwestern, were so late today that they were annulled and will be run through to Chicago as specials.

YUAN SHIH KAI

Recalled to Power in China that He May Put Down Revolt.

34 TICKETS SOLD TO CALIFORNIA

MANY PEOPLE FROM DIXON AND VICINITY LEFT SATURDAY NIGHT.

The largest day's business in tickets to the Pacific coast that the local Northwestern depot has had for a great many months was that of last Saturday night when 34 tickets were sold from Dixon to points in California. Two extra cars were attached to the Northwestern limited, No. 1, to accommodate the many people who left this city for the coast. One car was filled almost entirely with people from this city and vicinity, while the other car was occupied by Polo, Morrison, Lee Center, Sterling and Ashton people. Those who purchased tickets were: Mr. and Mrs. George Atkins, Mrs. C. King and children, Mrs. Cates, Miss Hartzell, C. D. Crawford and children, Mr. and Mrs. Merling and two children, all of Dixon; Mr. and Mrs. Willam Gray and daughter and Mrs. Gardner of Lee Center, Mrs. Clark and daughter of Ashton, Mr. and Mrs. Burns of Sterling, Mrs. Paulina of Peoria, Mrs. Johnson of Morrison and the following from Polo: Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brand and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roller, Mrs. Esterley, Mrs. Pagga, Mr. and Mrs. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Rubendahl and Mr. and Mrs. Hayes.

$300,000 VERDICT AGAINST HITT HEIRS

OLD FISHERWOMAN WINS SUIT IN INDIANA CIRCUIT COURT.

Gary, Ind., Oct. 16—A verdict for possession of 200 acres of lake front land at Miller, valued at $1,500 an acre, has been awarded to Mrs. John Carr, a poor fisherwoman, for 20 years a resident on the property. A jury in the Porter circuit court decided the question of ownership, which was claimed by the heirs of the late Congressman Hitt of Illinois, formerly chairman of the congression committee on public lands.

Years ago when the region was a wilderness, Mrs. Carr settled there. She based her claim on a 20 years' residence. Later Congressman Hitt secured some kind of title to the property. Originally the land was a government grant to the Indians and like other tracts there the ownership has been in doubt.

John Salzman went to Dysart, Ia., yesterday for a visit.

Mrs. A. S. Albright returned to Chicago yesterday after attending the funeral of her father, Jerry Glessner.

LAST RITES FOR WIFE AND MOTHER

FUNERAL OF MRS. FRANCIS M. SMITH HELD SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

The funeral of Mrs. Francis M. Smith was held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the late home in North Dixon and was attended by a large number of sorrowing friends. The service was conducted by her pastor, Rev. Fred D. Stone, and the interment was in Oakwood cemetery.

Helen Alsie Bussey was the daughter of George and Angeline Bussey. She was born at Lanark September 7, 1869, and died at her home, 405 North Dement avenue, this city, Oct. 12, 1911, being 42 years of age. Her early life was spent in Lanark and there she was married on April 12, 1900, to Francis M. Smith.

Since her marriage her home has constantly been in this city. Beside her husband the two children, Josephine and Russell, there remain of her immediate family her mother and two brothers, E. W. Bussey of Davenport, Ia., and C. G. Bussey of Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Smith's life indicated that the spirit of the christian religion had touched her heart, and that she was ordering her life according to its teaching.

In early life she became a member of the Methodist Episcopal church of Lanark. Later she became the organist of that church, continuing to render that service for the church until her marriage and removal from the city.

WILL CONTEST THE SHAW WILL

BROTHERS SEEK PART OF MONEY WILLED HOSPITAL BY MISS SHAW.

But little of importance was transacted in the circuit court today, and Judge Farrand's time was taken up with orders in unimportant chancery cases. The case of Geiger vs. Northwestern Railroad company, to have been tried this afternoon, was continued until Oct. 30, because of sickness of some of the parties concerned, and accordingly the judge excused the jury until tomorrow morning, when the Stubbs vs. Bowser case will be tried.

After Hospital Funds.

Papers were filed Saturday afternoon in a suit to set aside the will of the late Mary A. Shaw. This suit will also involve the estate of the late Elizabeth J. Shaw, a sister, who willed portions of her estate to the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital, the Presbyterian church, the Episcopal church and several individuals.

In the papers filed in the office of the clerk of the Lee county circuit court it is alleged that the late Mary A. Shaw was not in her right mind when she willed all of her estate to her sister, Elizabeth J. Shaw and that therefore the court should order the estate probated and that the property, which they allege to have been about $20,000 in value, should be divided among the legal heirs as provided by law.

This action is brought by her two brothers, Wm. Shaw of San Diego, Cal., and Samuel Shaw of Kansas City through their attorneys, Joseph Johnson of Kansas City and Brooks & Brooks of this city.

In their declaration the brothers allege that their legal share in the estate amounts to about $12,000.

The defendants in the case are the executor of the estates of Mary A. Shaw and Elizabeth J. Shaw, George C. Dixon, the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital through its board of directors, the Presbyterian church, the Episcopal church and the following individuals: Mrs. Adam Taylor, Undine Shaw, Effie Shaw, Hoyt Shaw, Leon Shaw, John Henry Shaw.

DIXON MEN GET JANESVILLE CONTRACT

Janesville, Wis., Oct. 16—Rink & Schnell of Dixon were today awarded the contract for a big paving job in this city, work on which is to start at once. The figures of the contract have not been given out but it is understood that the contract is a large one.

Miss Hattie Palmer visited Sunday in Sterling.

NEW YORK 1, PHILADELPHIA 3

HONORS ARE EVENED UP TODAY IN THE WORLD'S SERIES.

RAIN STOPS THE CHICAGO GAME

Cubs Got a Poor Start When Sox Rolled Up Three Runs in the First.

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Shibe Park, Philadelphia, Oct. 16—Special to the Telegraph—Philadelphia fans, not discouraged by the fact that the Athletics lost an unlucky game to the Giants at New York Saturday, packed the American league grounds here today to capacity to urge their team to victory.

As predicted, Rube Marquard was McGraw's pitching selection and the $11,000 beauty showed well in the warming up. Myers is receiving. Coombs did not look good to Connie Mack and after sizing up all his men he picked Plank, with Thomas catching.

New York went to bat first, but was retired in order and the Athletics started right after Marquard, clouting out two singles, which with an error by Doyle, allowed the first run.

New York tied in their half of the second, shutting out the American leaguers.

Baker Makes Homer

From then until the sixth both teams played air-tight ball and the pitchers extended themselves, pitching grand stuff. But the sixth saw New York's downfall. With two out Collins put one into the crowd for a two sacker and Baker, who broke up a number of last year's world series games, leaned against one of Rube's slants and put it into the stands for a home run, driving Collins in ahead of him.

Crandall Pitching.

Neither team scored in the seventh, and in the first of the eighth Crandall was sent to bat for Marquard and then finished the game in the box. Neither team got anywhere near the plate after the sixth and the game went to the Athletics.

RAIN IN CHICAGO; GAME CALLED OFF

Chicago, Oct. 16—Special—Cub rooters gathered enmasse at the West Side park this afternoon to help their team stop the toboggan slide act they have been pulling off. Cheney was Chance's pitching selection, while Manager Duffy sent Walsh back in an effort to clean up the series in four straight.

The Sox got to Cheney right off the start and drove him from the slab after three runs had been sent across. Rescuer Miner Brown took up the unequal burden and retired the side.

The Cubs were unable to negotiate Big Ed's delivery and were retired in their half, during which a very heavy rain storm broke. At 3 o'clock it was still raining and the game was called off.

WHAT OCCURS TONIGHT.

City Council—Regular.
W. R. C. Bazaar—Rosbrook Hall.
I. O. O. F.—Initiation.
K. C.—Regular.
Company G—Drill.
Invincibles—Miss Helen Brown.
Vaudeville—Family Theatre.
Pictures—Princess.

CONFIDENCE MEN HELD TO GRAND JURY

WERE CAUGHT AFTER WORKING THE GAME IN LOCAL STORES.

The two short change artists, who give the names of Frank Davis and Edward Davey, were up before Magistrate Kent this afternoon and were bound over to the grand jury on two charges, the bonds to be $500 each. They are charged with working a confidence game and with larceny.

Witnesses John Hayes, Eli McCauley, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Missman, John Gaffney, Clarence Reid and Harold Brierton were called.

WAGON COMPANY OFFICERS HERE

INVENTOR MELROSE STATES HE RECEIVED MANY ORDERS AT STATE FAIR.

President Overshiner, Inventor Melrose and a number of the directors of the American Wagon company came to Dixon at noon Saturday to inspect some alterations and repairs that are being made at the local plant, and to make arrangements for additional buildings, which it was announced some time ago would be built. Mr. Melrose was at the state fair at Springfield with a sample box which was exhibited to large crowds, and the officers report that he secured an exceptionally large number of orders there, in fact more than the management had hoped for.

DIXON INN READY FOR MORE BUSINESS

ADDITION TO POPULAR HOTEL IS ABOUT READY FOR OCCUPANCY.

Mine Host Schuler, of the Dixon Inn, announced this morning that part of the recent addition to his caravansary would be opened for occupancy either the last of this week or the first of next week, and that soon thereafter the second floor of the building will be equipped and ready for use. The addition will be modernly finished, as is the main building of the hotel, and Mr. Schuler anticipates having one of the most popular hotels in this part of the state. He has received many compliments from the traveling public and local visitors, who have inspected the addition to the building and the equipment throughout agrees with the general verdict, that the hotel is one of the best between Chicago and Clinton.

RESIDENT OF DIXON NEARLY 60 YEARS

MRS. KATHERINE REMMERS DIED SATURDAY NIGHT AT AGE OF 76 YEARS.

Mrs. Katherine Remmers died at 8:30 o'clock Saturday evening at her home, 209 North Galena avenue, at the age of 76 years. She had been in poor health for some time, but had not been confined to her bed and her death was therefore a shock to her many friends.

Her maiden name was Katherine Abrahams, and she was a native of the Grand Dukedom of Aldenberg, Germany, where she was born March 2, 1835. She was married to Henry W. Remmers Sept. 25, 1853, and came to Dixon Dec. 3, of the same year and has lived here ever since. She was a member of the Lutheran church since she was 14 years of age and was one of the oldest members of the local church. She was a woman very well thought of by all and will be greatly missed by her friends. She is survived by one son and two daughters: George W. Remmers, Mrs. R. A. Rodesch and Mrs. George S. Beal.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the late home, conducted by Rev. Altman, and interment will be in Oakwood cemetery.

J. R. DIXON CALLED ON EARLY FRIENDS

John R. Dixon of Chicago, formerly of this city, has been on a pleasure trip o fthree weeks in South Dakota and Iowa visiting his sister, Sarah Dixon Goodwin, at Sioux City. He stopped off and remained over Sunday in Dixon, calling on a few of his early acquaintances. He states that he was messenger boy in the telegraph office, now the Western Union, here before the civil war broke out and cheered Lincoln when he spoke here.

K. C. ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE TO REPORT

There will be a very important meeting of the Knights of Columbus this evening, when the entertainment commitee will report on the success of the affair of last Thursday evening.

ELEVEN $100 BILLS LOOK BAD FOR BLAIR

THEY AGAIN COME INTO PROMINENCE IN LORIMER HEARING.

HATED TO MISS "EASY MONEY"

Quoted as Saying, "I Would Be a Fool to Let That Lorimer Money Go By.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—The special investigating committee of the United States senate saw evidence pile up before it pointing to the guilt of William C. Blair of Mount Vernon, former Democratic state representative, charged with having received money for his vote for Senator Lorimer.

B. F. Moore of Mount Carmel, formerly sheriff of Wabash county, a new witness found recently by attorneys for the investigators, testified that Blair told him shortly after Senator Lorimer's election that "he would have been a fool to vote for Stringer and let all the Lorimer money go by and not get his share." Mr. Moore said Mr. Blair was intoxicated at the time.

A. C. Tanner of Mount Vernon told of the large roll of bills which Blair, a poor man burdened by a mortgage and heavy additional debts, displayed at a baseball game in Centralia in the summer of 1909. Mr. Tanner said he counted eleven $100 bills which were separate from a roll of greenbacks "an inch and a half or two inches in diameter."

A part of Mr. Tanner's testimony held significant was a statement that Blair told him he had just come from Olney, where he got the money from a client. Representative Thomas Tippitt, leader of the Tippitt faction of house Democrats who voted for Lorimer in a body, resides at Olney. In his testimony Friday Mr. Blair advanced several explanations of the source of the money, but said nothing about an Olney client.

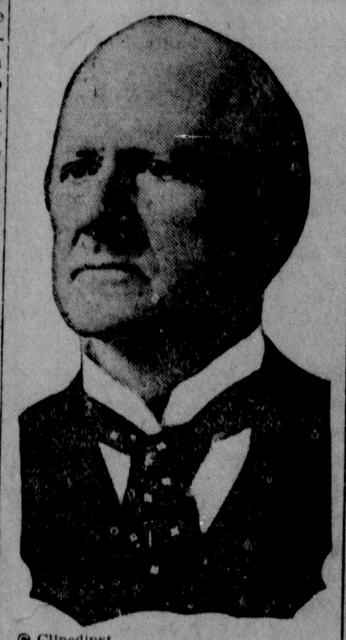
J. W. Gibson, formerly cashier of the Jefferson State bank at Mount Vernon, testified that he had changed as many as four $100 bills for Mr. Blair some time during the spring or early summer of 1909. V. E. Richardson, assistant cashier of the same bank, said he had changed four $100 bills for Blair.

George L. Ore of Mount Vernon, state's attorney of Jefferson county, related a conversation on March 10, 1909, with Charles S. Luke of Nashville, a Democratic representative at the 1909 session, who is dead. He said Mr. Luke remarked that Former Senator Hopkins was "a short horse" and that he would vote for somebody who would pay him for it. The remark was made in the St. Nicholas hotel at Springfield, the witness said, in the presence of several persons in addition to Mr. Ore.

Mr. Luke, according to Mr. Ore, had been drinking heavily. Luke was one of the Democrats named as having been in the plot to deliver Democratic votes to Hopkins. He voted for Senator Lorimer and was seen by Charles A. White at the famous "bathroom" conference in St. Louis when the spoils of the 1909 session were distributed.

JOHN M. HARLAN.

Associate Justice of the Supreme Court Who Died in Washington.



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REPORT TONIGHT ON BOULEVARD LIGHTS

SOMETHING WILL ALSO PROBABLY BE DOING IN WATER QUESTION.

Do the merchants of Dixon want boulevard lights? This question will come up for final settlement at the meeting of the city council this evening, and thus far neither the mayor nor the commissioners have received any word from the merchants' committee to the effect that a decision had been reached on the proposition submitted to the business men by the council last Monday evening. Should the merchants turn down the proposition the council will go ahead and make the best contract possible with the lighting company for the present system of lighting.

The water question may again come up for discussion this evening. It is known that Mayor Brinton and Attorney Morrison, who represents the water company, held a long conference Sunday afternoon, but what was done at this conference has not been made public. The statement of the earnings and expenses of the company, which was submitted to the council several weeks ago, has not yet been made public, and the property owners and tax payers are commencing to wonder why they should be kept in the dark in this matter. Fairness to the city and the water company would be secured more quickly by allowing the people to know the nature of negotiations being carried on, than by so much secrecy.

Ask Another Week.

Late this afternoon the merchants' committee which has been investigating the advisability of purchasing the boulevard lights, asked Mayor Brinton for another week to reach a decision and the request was granted. At the same time the mayor suggested an easy way to pay for the lamp posts by advising that the property owners pay 75 per cent of the costs and the tenant 25. He is of the opinion that the property owners' share could be raised by an assessment per foot frontage and that the cost would therefore be nominal to all.

ROTTEN TELEPHINE POLE FALLS WITH LINEMAN

Ira J. Baker, a telephone lineman, sustained serious injuries Saturday at Rockford when a rotten pole upon which he had been working snapped off and he went with it to the ground breaking both arms, dislocating an elbow and suffering internal injuries. Baker was unable to help himself when the pole began to give way, being strapped to it by his safety belt. He may lose one of his arms from the accident.

CO. G DRILL TONIGHT.

There will be a very important drill of Company G this evening, which all the members should attend.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Latitude, 41 deg., 48 min., N.
Longitude, 89 deg., 27 min., W.
705 feet above sea level

Above data furnished by H. R. Spafford, assisstant chief engineer of the Illinois Central Railroad Co.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitatio are taken at 7 o'clock each morning and are for the preceding 24 hours

Sunday	60	43	.15
Monday	65	45	

Chicago, Oct. 16—Showers and probably thunderstorms today; tomorrow fair and cooler; brisk to high southerly winds, shifting to northwest.

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS
PAST AND PROSPECTIVE

P. E. O. Sisterhood.

The P. E. O. Sisterhood will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Alfred Leland Tuesday afternoon.

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Entertained at Tea.

Mrs. H. W. Martin of North Crawford avenue entertained friends at tea last evening.

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His 80th Birthday.

Wm. DePuy, a pioneer of this vicinity and a respected farmer, is today quietly celebrating his 80th birthday at his home east of this city. Mr. DePuy's health is such than an elaborate celebration could not be held, but many have called on the venerable gentleman today and congratulated him.

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With Mrs. Missman.

The Woman's Missionary society of the M. E. church will hold an all day meeting tomorrow with Mrs. Addison Missman. Everyone will please meet at the church at 10:30 and a means of conveyance will be provided to the Missman home.

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Dorcas Society.

The Dorcas society of the Congregational church will hold a special meeting tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anna Stuckey, 916 W. First street.

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Kendall Club.

The Kendall club will meet with Miss Hazel Noble on Tuesday afternoon.

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Guests at Sterling Party

Mrs. Jas. Sterling, Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook, Misses Nettie Dimick and Bess Camp were guests at a card party given in Sterling by Mrs. Paul Dillon and Miss Dillon Friday.

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Wheeler-Lawrence.

The Sterling Gazette has the following account of the marriage of Miss Lawrence and Mr. Wheeler. Both parties are well known in Dixon society circles and we publish the article:

The marriage of Miss Mildred Lawrence and Arthur Wellington Wheeler occurred Thursday evening at 8 o'clok at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard Lawrence, 1009 West Third street. The Rev. Dr. Parker recorder of the University of Chicago, officiated.

Miss Helen Jordan of St. Joseph, Mich., was the maid of honor and Miss Cora Crawford was the bridesmaid. The flower girl was Miss Ethel Lawrence Strock of Des Moines, Ia. Elmer Beattie of Toledo, Ohio, was the best man. Mesdames William Shuck and Harry Oppold and the Misses Jeanette Crawford and Alice Gaulrapp stretched the ribbons. Mrs. Harry Burkholder played the wedding march from Lohengrin.

The bride wore a gown of satin crepe meteor trimmed with Venetian point lace and pearls. She carried lilies of the valley. The maid of honor wore white crepe de chene and carried pink chryanthemums. The bridesmaid wore pink messelaine, and carried pink chrysanthemums. The flower girl was attired in white and carried pink roses. The ribbon stretchers wore pink gowns, the ribbons being pink.

The house decorations were of chrysanthemums, smilax and roses, the color scheme being pink and white. The ceremony was solemnized under an arch of smilax and chrysanthemums. A reception to the hundred guests followed, after which a wedding supper was served, the color scheme being carried out in the dining room.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler will take no wedding trip but will be at home after December 1 at 5309 Monroe street, Chicago.

Out of town guests were Rev. Dr. Parker of Chicago; Miss Helen Jordan of St. Joseph; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Strock and family of DesMoines; Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Hungate of La Harpe, Ill.; F. W. Wheeler of Indianapolis; Elmer Beattie of Toledo, O.; Miss Marjoria Major of Austin; Ned Earle of Chicago; Thomas Miller and Alex Lytle of Washington Ia.; G. R. Schaeffer and Richard Bolar of Chicago.

Mrs. Wheeler is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lawrence and is prominent in society circles both here and in Chicago. Mr. Wheeler is a graduate of the University of Chicago; a member of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity of that school and is a valued employe of the Tobey Furniture company of Chicago. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wheeler of this city.

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Knights of Columbus

There will be a regular meeting this evening of the Knights of Columbus in their lodge rooms.

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China Shower.

The ladies and gentlemen of the Presbyterian church and congregation are invited to a china shower, to be held in the church Tuesday evening, Oct. 17th. The ladies are urged to bring or send some article for the table, such as pickle or jelly dishes, creamers and sugar bowl, salt and pepper, etc.

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Stars of Equity.

The American Stars of Equity will enjoy a hayrack ride tomorrow evening to the Addison Missman home in the country. All who intend going will please be at Rowland's corner at 7:30.

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New Dancing Club.

A new dancing club is being organized, to be known as "The Redheads." Each member of the club, of whom six have been secured, is blessed with auburn hair, and the young men expect to run many successful parties during the coming season. A list of the members will be announced later.

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At McCleary Home.

Mrs. Charles Smith of Davenport spent Sunday at the Joseph McCleary home, going from Dixon to Chicago.

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Invincibles Meet.

The Invincibles will meet this evening with Miss Helen Brown at her home on North Galena avenue.

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I. O. O. F. Initiation.

There will be initiation at the meeting of the Odd Fellows this evening and all members are urged to attend.

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E. R. B. Class.

The E. R. B. Sunday school class of St. Paul's Lutheran church held a regular meeting Friday evening at the Fred Trouth home. There was a large attendance and the hostess, Miss Minnie Hess, served light refreshments.

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A. F. and A. M. Special.

Friendship lodge No. 37, A. F. & A. M., wil hold a special meeting at their hall next Wednesday afternoon and evening. The work will be put on in the afternoon by Ashton and in the evening by Rock Falls. A banquet will be served in the hall from 6 to 7 o'clock. A large attendance of members is anticipated.

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W. R. C. Bazar

The W. R. C bazar had an auspicious opening Saturday, the day being a fine one and many enjoyed the afternoon and evening at the fair. The dinner and supper were well patronized and the sale of articles on display was good. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour on Saturday night and the music was thoroughly appreciated by all. Tonight a program will be given by Mrs. Allain Read, Miss Myrtle Rice and Curtice Rice. After the program dancing will be the feature.

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Doing Practical Work.

The members of the Invincible club, a charity organization of young ladies of this city, have done a bit of practical charity work in preparing a young girl in the way of clothing, etc., to enter a convent at Clinton, Ia., where she will get a fine schooling and will be able to help herself in about a year. On Oct. 31, Tuesday evening, the Invincibles will give a dancing party in Odd Fellows hall and it seems as though the club ought to be encouraged in doing good for they have grasped the idea of aiding the poor and are content to help those in want in their home town. Therefore, boost for the Invincibles.

SYMPATHETIC STRIKE MAY TIE UP I. C.

TRAINMEN ARE MEETING TODAY IN AMBOY, FREEPORT AND CENTRALIA.

A sympathetic strike to aid the striking shopmen of the Illinois Central railroad is being considered by the trainmen and meeting of trainmen are being held in Amboy, Freeport and Centralia to consider the advisability of such a move. Should those who met today decide in favor of such a strike it will be submitted to the entire membership of the trainmen's union for ratification, in case of which a general strike of all the freight trainmen will be called.

CITY IN BRIEF

Dr. Stewart, Osteopath, 206 1st St.

T. M. Cunningham, E. S. Newcomer, Mr. and Mrs. John Bovey, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Adams, Thos. Sheehan, Michael Harvey, George Nettz and family, Jacob Dockery and family, Jacob Fessler and family, of Pine Creek, were Dixon visitors Saturday.

W. W. McCleary of Chadwick visited relatives in this city on Saturday.

Walter Ortgiesen and Theodore Rossiter were among those who attended the Sox-Cub ball game in Chicago Sunday.

Harry Gerdes has received word that his mother, Mrs. Louise Gerdes, and her daughter, who have been visiting in Germany for some time, will leave for home Nov. 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Crawford spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Chicago.

Attorney H. C. Dixon is in Morrison today on legal business.

H. U. Bardwell went to Aurora today.

Chester Parker of Kramer, Ind., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Odenthal.

Mrs. Andy Bartel and Mrs. Jos. Bauer of Sterling visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Odenthal on Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Walter, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Odenthal, left this morning for Chicago, where she will join her husband and from there they will return to their home in Columbus, Neb.

Miss Christina Odenthal left this morning for Clinton, Ia., after a two weeks visit in this city with her parents.

Mrs. Mame L. Dillon and son Moses of Sterling spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John H. Byers.

F. E. Self of Downers Grove spent Sunday with his family.

George Slothower and Maurice Rosbrook went to Chicago this morning.

"Y" TEAMS OF TWO CITIES IN CONTEST

EVENTS ARE PLANNED FOR DIXON AND STERLING ASSOCIATIONS.

As a result of a conference between Secretary Bailey and Physical Director Park of the local association and the officials of the Sterling organization, held here this morning, preliminary arrangements were made for several meetings between the athletic teams of the two associations during the coming winter. It is proposed to hold the first meet Thanksgiving day. The events will be in bowling, indoor baseball, basketball and handball and it is expected the competition will prove beneficial to the members of both associations.

SEPTEMBER RAINS SET NEW RECORD

AVERAGE IN STATE WAS 8.84 INCHES; 5.19 ABOVE NORMAL.

The Illinois section of the United States Department of Agriculture has just issued a bulletin of the rainfall in Illinois for the month of September. It gives a record so far above normal that it is of interest. The average precipitation was 8:84 inches, being 5.19 above the normal. The greatest rainfall recorded for the month was at Monmouth, in Warren county, where the precipitation was 20.03 inches. The lowest record for the month was at LaGrange, in Cook county, of 3.64 inches, even this being .16 above normal, so that every station in the state reports an exiess of rainfall. Dixon reported 6.77 inches, whiih is 3.25 above normal for September. The average temperature in the state was 69.7, or 2.6 above normal. The highest record was 99 degrees and the lowest 36 degrees.

CITY WATER WILL BE TURNED OFF

Superintendent Wasley of the Dixon Water company this afternoon announced that for a short time tomorrow morning the water will be turned off on East Fellows street and North Ottawa and North Crawford avenues. Several repairs are necessary, consequently the intention of turning off the water. Consumers will govern themselves accordingly.

SEES EXPOSITION SITE

President Taft Is Driven about Golden Gate Park.

Buildings of Panama International Expocition to Be in Three Groups.

San Francisco, Oct. 16.—They took Presicent Taft over the site for the Panama International Exposition. The exposition directors took possession of him and provided a rather strenuous program.

First there was luncheon at a hostelry, above the cliffs that frame the Golden gate. They gave a little exhibition of San Francisco hustle at the luncheon by taking pictures of the party, which were developed, dried, mounted and passed around at the table, before four courses of the lunch had been served.

Most of the afternoon was spent in the auto ride over the exposition site. Every plan and hope was explained to the president.

The 1915 world's show is to be staged on the hills of the Golden gate. The buildings will be grouped in three sites, so that from the first the view will be from the bay shore oceanward, from the second over the hills and cliffs that lock the bay at Golden gate, and from the third out over the ocean.

The long ride, which was a dusty one, wound up at a reception, where the president was turned over for half an hour to the wives and friends of the directors. The president ended the day with a visit to the battleships of the Pacific fleet in the harbor.

The Taft special arrived in Los Angeles this morning, the last city on the coast in the itinerary.

RECORD CROWD AT GAME

Thirty-Six Thousand People See Chicago Teams Play Ball.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—The largest crowd that ever attended a baseball game in Chicago saw the White Sox triumph over the Cubs in the third game of their series for the championship of the city. The Sox won, 4 to 2, and now have but a single game to win, to give them the title of champions of Chicago.

Here are the figures issued by the representatives of the national commission: Attendance, 36,308; total receipts, $24,552.50; commission's share, $2,455.25; players' share, $15,258.35; each club's share, $4,419.45.

Cincinnati Is Ohio Champion.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 16.—The Ohio championship stays in Cincinnati. George Suggs decided that when he shut the Naps out, 7 to 0, in the second game of a doube-header after the Clevelanders had copped the first game, 4 to 2.

WESLEY STEWARD YIELDS TO DEATH

FOUNDER OF VILLAGE OF STEWARD AND INFLUENTIAL MAN IN THE COUNTY.

Wesley Steward, founder of the village of Steward, in Alto township, and large land owner in that section of the country, passed from this life Friday night at his residence in Steward. He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Miss Bertha Steward. Death came from carcinoma of the throat.

Wesley Steward was born in the Susquehanna valley, at the foot of the Alleghany mountains, Pennsylvania, Oct. 27, 1837. He moved with his parents to Illinois, locating in Kendall county, in June, 1838. His youth and early manhood, until he was 22 years old, was spent at home on the farm. He removed to Lee county, locating in Alto township, in August, 1858. Since his residence in Alto he has held every public office in the gift of his township.

The town of Steward was platted Nov. 22, 1872, by Mr. Steward, who owned the land and founded the town. It was incorporated as a village April 13, 1903, by proceedings in the county court. The first elevator in the place was put up by Mr. Steward, who after two years took in G. F. Henning as partner, and the business, including dealing in lumber, coal, etc., was carried on by them under the firm name of Steward & Co. for 25 years, the firm of Titus Bros. succeeding them. Mr. Steward was largely engaged in stock and grain raising and was one of the most enterprising and influential business men in his section of the country.

Miss Grace Martin returned to Girton school at Winnetka Sunday at noon.

Miss Helen Grant visited in Mendota Sunday.

Mrs. Mame Glessner and Miss Mae Glessner will return to Chicago this evening after visiting with their mother.

AT THE FAMILY THEATRE MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

One of the principal features of the bill at the Family theatre for the first half of this week is The Pumpkin Girl, a novelty attraction conceived in the mind of "Rube" Sutton, the clever tumbler and acrobat. He got his idea from the big circus spiral tower, or rather the ball used in riding the tower. Instead of an ordinary sphere, Sutton presents a prize winning pumpkin, just the kind you see at the county fairs. After many witty remarks and the pumpkin has been rolled around the stage for several minutes, out jumps dainty Miss Sutton, a surprise to all. This headline feature contains many original and fascinating exhibitions and will easily be the hit of the week. The other number is Bliss & Ross, a novelty dancing team, who will interest all. New pictures are shown each night.

FORECAST.

Illiois: Unsettled and cooler tonight with showers and thunderstorms in north, Tuesday generally fair and cooler.

Indiana: Local rains tonight or Tuesday, cooler Tuesday.

Missouri: Generally fair tonight or Tuesday, cooler tonight and in the east Tuesday.

Michigan: Rain tonight, Tuesday cooler.

Wisconsin: Rain and probably thunderstorms and cooler tonight. Tuesday threatening with cooler and showers in east followed by fair.

Minnesota: Cooler tonight with fair in west and rain in east. Frost in west tonight. Tuesday generally fair.

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN FOR A BAD STOMACH

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If you had some Diapepsin handy and would take a little now, your stomach distress or Indigestion, would vanish in five minutes, and you woull feel fine.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, out-of-order stomach, before you realize it.

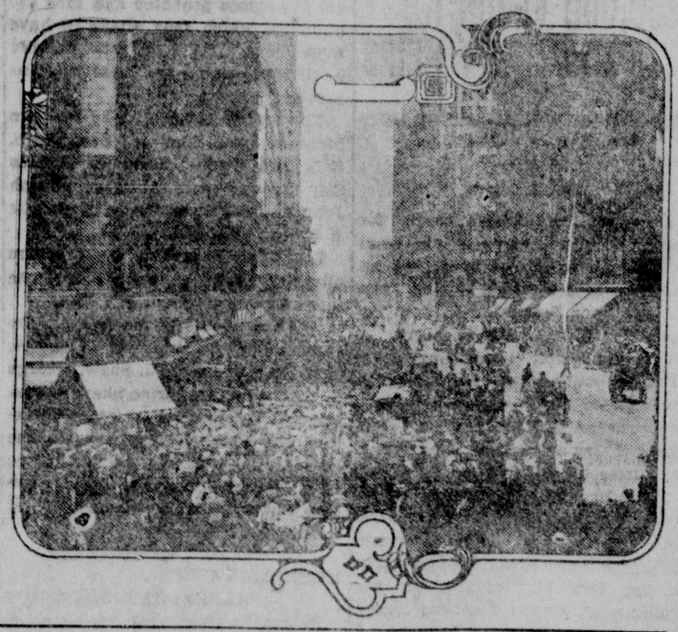
If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you do eat seems to fill you, or lays like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of Indigestion.

Ack your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a little just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no undigested food left over in the stomach to posion your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it prevents fermentation and takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach was'nt there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is at any drug store, waiting for you.

These large, 50-cent cases of Pape's Diapepsin contains more than sufficient to thoroughly cure almost any case of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, or any other stomach disturbance.



CHICAGO'S HOLIDAY WEEK.

Chicago is to have a great "long distance" holiday from Oct. 26 to Nov. 4, when the National Dairy show will be held at the International amphitheater, Union stockyards, Chicago. President Taft will be at the show Oct. 30, and there are special attractions arranged for every day. There will probably be dairy farms given away. The railroads have been requested to make reduced rates, and those in the Central Passenger association have already announced a rate of a fare and a half on the certificate plan. The fall is the best time of the year to visit Chicago.

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Wanted. Middle aged woman to do housework; two in family. Enquire at store of John E. Moyer 43 3

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Cow Sale.

At North Dixon stock yards Wednesday, Oct. 18, at 10 o'clock a. m. Some fine Holsteins. J. A. Covert. D. M. Fahrney, Auct., E. W. Smith, clerk. 43 2

Lost. Dark bay colt, two right fetlocks white, three months old. M. Hanrahan. 43 3

For Sale. Beds, Round Oak stove, chairs, walnut table, kitchen utensils, carpet, one dresser. Mrs. S. J. Comerer, 415 Upham Place. 43 3*

For Sale. Extra good load of milkers and springers. Also thoroughbred Durham bull. At Drew's pasture. W. J. Wingert. 43 3

Lost. On the Lowell park road Sunday afternoon, black fur rug muff. Reward if returned to J. C. Ayres' office, Dixon, Ill. 43 3

For Sale. Cook stove, ice box, gas stove. Enquire 407 Jackson Ave. 43 3

For Rent. House on West Chamberlain St., No. 215; 8 rooms, furnace, lights, cistern and city water. Mrs. J. B. Clears, 324 W. Chamberlain St. 43 6

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There is nothing that gets second hand and out of style faster than an automobile unless it is a woman's hat of the current mode.

Corn and alfalfa are the keystones of success, not only in the production of beef and pork, but in the production of butter fat. Wherever the two crops will grow there prosperity is sure to be found.

Some one who has tried it recommends putting a cupful or more of salt into the cistern to purify and sweeten the water. This causes impurities to separate and settle, when the clear water on top may be dipped or pumped off.

The fall thus far has been ideal for the securing of a supply of seed corn under the most favorable conditions. If there is any man whose seed corn fails to germinate next spring it will be his own fault—because he is lazy or careless or both.

Anthracnose, a plant disease that does much damage to both apple and pear trees, can be kept largely in check by spraying the trees as soon as the leaves have fallen with the bordeaux mixture. A thorough treatment at this time has been found to give excellent results.

Not a few boys and girls who go wrong in life and fail of anything worth while got their start when their parents sided with them wrongly as against the teacher at school. This is not a theory, but a condition that can be verified from the experience of teachers everywhere.

The good Lord apparently knew what he was about when he ordained that men and women should unite their efforts in the making of a home. Either sex makes a pretty bad mess of it when they attempt to go it alone. Of the two the man seems to be entitled to even more sympathy than the woman.

Some one fond of statistics in the large has found that the Russian uses on an average two pounds of soap per year and the Englishman twenty-one pounds, but since he uses cold water he is not any cleaner than the American, who uses seventeen pounds a year with warm water. The Frenchman uses fifteen pounds of cleanser and the German ten pounds.

The chief advantage of the cement floor for the poultry lies in the fact that it is rat and skunk proof. The tendency of the floor to gather dampness at certain seasons of the year can be overcome by a thin covering of earth or a generous scattering of litter. For the superstructure—walls—of the henhouse no material excels clay hollow blocks, which insure both dryness and warmth.

A lady friend who is a reader of these notes reduced her jelly operations to a minimum during the hot weather by bringing her fruit juices to a boil and canning them. She will make her jelly as she wants it during the coming months, thereby saving herself a lot of discomfort from the heat and incidentally saving quite a bit of fuel. More than this, she claims that the jelly has a better flavor if made but a short time before being used, and we shouldn't wonder if she were right.

While next May is the time to make the rose bed, it is a good idea to be getting the material ready for it now. Among the best recommended is a mixture consisting of one part of broken blue grass sods and one part of well rotted barnyard manure. As much of this as will be needed should be composted this fall and allowed to decay until the time for making the bed in the spring, when to the mixture should be added and thoroughly mixed one-half as much rather stiff clay soil. Rotted leaves may be used in part in place of the manure and will give excellent results.

The way some folks hang on to the almighty dollar or almighty penny would lead one to believe that they not only thought shrouds had pockets, but that caskets and sepulchers were provided with telescopes and gunnysacks for the reception of coin earned in life. This, however, is a mistake. The coin that miserly people hoard is all left for heirs to squabble over, and in some cases no more is wasted on funeral equipment for the deceased than the law allows. In view of this somewhat untoward situation it is a pretty sensible idea to curb this miserly tendency, to loosen one's purse strings and not only get some enjoyment out of life for oneself, but if possible to make life brighter and more worth the living for others.

There is no economy whatever in scrimping the rations of animals that work, are intended for the block or give milk. Neither is there profit in any man or woman who works keeping himself or herself in the same half fed condition.

There was something a bit awry in the arrangement of things when a longer interval was not provided between the exactions of the iceman and coal man. Instead of there being a gap those two fellows often overlap in their services.

A good many hens have that queer streak which makes them prefer to lay their eggs in the barn or wood house of a neighbor than of their owner. Perhaps it is the same tendency that makes so many youngsters prefer to play at the neighbor's than at home.

The fact is not generally known, but the tubers of the single blossomed dahlias are now being grown for consumption, as are sweet potatoes. Another curiosity along the same line is the use of milkweed as a vegetable, it being cut when tender and used as one does asparagus.

Even in the country the proper place for the pigs is in pens and yards provided especially for them and not the dooryard, lawn and flower beds. Many folks who are well fixed financially and have plenty of room on the farm seem to have some odd notions on this matter of where the pigs rightly belong.

The bacterial life which is responsible for scab in potatoes will live over in the ground from one year to another, but the spores which cause smut in wheat and oats do not; hence treating the seed means clean grain the following season, even on ground that produced a smutty crop the previous season.

The cause of scientific agriculture lost one of its most able and devoted advocates in the death of Professor F. H. King, who died at Madison, Wis., a short time ago. Besides writing a number of books on drainage, irrigation and soil physics, he devised the system of ventilation for barns which bears his name and has been so generally used by progressive farmers everywhere.

"Our hens are fat and in fine condition, but don't lay," is a summary of the complaint of hundreds of poultry keepers—in fine condition perhaps for the roasting pan or kettle, but not for producing eggs. It's their fatness and fine condition that are the cause of the trouble. Switch them from a diet consisting chiefly of corn to one of wheat, bran, skimmilk, green stuff, meat scraps and the like, and the hens will sing a different tune and fill the egg basket.

No finer co-operation is exemplified anywhere than that which is being put into practice by many country pastors in connection with the varied practical problems which confront their parishioners and by these same hardworking parishioners in relation to the moral and spiritual problems which the dominie has on his hands. This co-operation carried out to the fullest extent possible has more in it of contentment and happiness for the American than any other agency that can be named.

Kerosene is sometimes used as a means of accelerating a lazy fire, but in the case of an Illinoisan the other day there was so much acceleration that the unfortunate members of the family could not adjust themselves to it. The stove blew up, setting fire to the house, and five members of the family were burned to death before they could make their escape from the house. When kerosene is put on a smoldering fire a gas is at once generated that is as dangerous as gasoline. It is the ignition of this gas that raises havoc in such cases.

One living in central or eastern states and who has not been in the Golden State is sometimes at a loss to understand how orange ranches can have a value of from $1,500 to $3,500 per acre. But such prices are intelligible when one takes into account the value of single crops which are got from such orange groves. One lady, a Mrs. Sears, who owns a fifteen acre ranch in the southern part of California, recently sold her crop of Valencias on the trees for $16,500 and had nothing to do in the transaction but indorse a draft for the amount. Of course this orange ranch did not come by chance, but was given painstaking care and spraying for a multitude of enemies to bring it to a profitable bearing condition.

One level headed farmer's wife we know who keeps many laying hens resents the idea of having her nice fresh eggs serve as a cork to float the prices of the great quantities of eggs of uncertain reputation that are marketed in violation of pure food laws. She has made a deal with a hotel in a large market center 350 miles from where she lives and every three or four days crates her eggs and ships them to her customer by express. Each egg is stamped with the date on which it is laid. For eggs marketed under these conditions she receives 50 per cent more than if they were sold locally and marketed in a miscellaneous shipment. She has assumed that relation to the egg market which gives her a higher price in just the proportion that other folks market stale eggs, thus increasing the demand for those strictly fresh. She takes pains and is well paid for her trouble.

THE SERUM TREATMENT FOR HOG CHOLERA.

Hog cholera is getting in its deadly ravages in a good many sections, and a word about the serum treatment may be welcome to some who live in sections where the disease is spreading. A number of state legislatures have set aside a fund to cover the cost of the manufacture of the serum, the state veterinary department making the serum and selling it to farmers of the state at cost. The Nebraska Agricultural college at Lincoln has recently issued a timely little bulletin on the subject, and the following data, while taken from this publication, is of general interest and would apply to any section. To secure a serum of uniform quality it is necessary to mix the four bleedings from each hog, then mix those from a number of hogs and test carefully before sending out. It has been found that the serum costs 2 cents per cubic centimeter to make, while the dose recommended is twenty cubic centimeters per 100 pounds of hog and for pigs weighing less than 100 pounds. On this basis the treatment for a hog weighing 300 pounds would cost $1.20, which is an expense surely justifiable on a hog selling at $5 per hundredweight and particularly so in the case of valuable pure bred animals. The pamphlet in question suggests calling a qualified veterinarian at once on the appearance of sickness resembling cholera in the herd, the killing of a sick pig and ascertaining the real character of the disease at once by a postmortem examination. Unless the disease is indicated the serum should not be given, as it would render the hogs immune but three or four weeks. It is of no use to give a sick hog the treatment. Only well hogs that have been exposed to cholera should receive the injection of serum. Otherwise a lasting immunity will not result. Some hogs that have had the germs in their systems several days will likely die in spite of the treatment. Where one cannot secure the aid of a veterinary surgeon the farmer can treat the hogs himself provided he exercises the necessary precautions.

The hogs should be in a dry, clean place at least twenty-four hours before receiving the treatment. In addition to the serum, which should have been got direct from the state veterinary department, and one should have a ten cubic centimeter syringe, the hog to be treated should have the inside of the thighs washed thoroughly with a 5 per cent solution of some good coal tar dip, and the serum should be injected deeply into the muscles, not over twenty cubic centimeters being put in one place. The serum may be injected just under the skin of the abdomen, but it is not so readily absorbed. The bulletin above referred to does not make reference to it, but a point that should be emphasized is the wisdom of steering clear of serums advertised at a bargain price by irresponsible firms. No serum should be used except that furnished by the state veterinary department or a firm recommended by it.

THAT DAY IN OCTOBER.

The poet Lowell has said of June, "Then, if ever, come perfect days." True, but what of that day in October after the first frost? It began in a "rosy fingered dawn" dispelling a night chill and developed into the molten, golden glow of a perfect autumn day. The poplars, birches, maples, sumacs and Virginia creepers added their tribute of color to the carnival of beauty. The crow, the jay, the belated nuthatch or chattering squirrel gave the one touch of life and sound to the pensive stillness of the splendid woods. Grapes in fragrant clusters and nuts and apples dropping of their own ripe weight were mute witnesses of the season's wealth and prodigality. Rod in hand, the nearby placid pool, bearing a fleet of fallen leaves, was sought and the gamy bass lured to the surface with the tempting fly or minnow. A swirl and the nerves were a-tingle and the reel musical with the efforts of the fish to gain its freedom. A bit later a snapping fire was blazing, and a picnic lunch was spread and the keen appetite of the human animal satisfied; at sunset, still of molten gold, the return home through the peaceful woods, their brilliant leaves shedding that mystic afterglow and adding moments to the day. Perfect days in June? Yes, and in October.

TO TELL POISON IVY.

A great many attractive things have danger for those who come in contact with them. Among those in the natural world is poison ivy, which in the fall in most sections is one of the most brilliantly colored vines to be found. Many boys and girls and not a few older people do not know the vine, and a word about it is in place. The most important distinctive feature about it is that it has three leaves in a cluster instead of five, as in the case of the well known Virginia creeper, which, though to be found in wood lots all over the country, is frequently used as a porch climber. Another mark of the poison ivy is the cluster of numerous small whitish berries which it bears, not at all like the purple berries of the Virginia creeper. In spite of its name the poison ivy does very little climbing, but rather sprawls and, as a rule, is a short vine, making comparatively slight growth in a single season. It cannot stand cultivation and hence is most often found along river courses, in pasture lots and in fence rows and corners.

F. E. Trigg

HARLAN FUNERAL SET FOR TUESDAY

Supreme Court Justice Passes Away Suddenly.

WAS SICK ONLY A FEW DAYS

Was the Oldest Man in Years and in Point of Service on the Supreme Bench—Was Noted for Dissenting Opinions.

Washington, Oct. 16.—The funeral of John Marshall Harlan, associate justice of the United States supreme court, who died at 8:15 Saturday morning, will be held at the New York Avenue Presbyterian church, of which he was an active member, on Tuesday, and the burial will be made either in Arlington national cemetery, or in Rock Creek cemetery in this city.

Justice Harlan was stricken with an attack of bronchitis. At his advanced age the family was alarmed, and all the jurist's children were summoned. With the exception of the son, Richard, they were all at his bedside when he died, as was Mrs. Harlan.

Justice Harlan attended the opening session of the supreme court last Monday. He also was present on Tuesday, when the arguments in the anthracite coal case were begun.

There was no member of the supreme court more widely known than Justice Harlan. He has been called the most independent of the justices. He was noted for his dissenting opinions. In the Standard Oil and Tobacco trust cases, recently decided, his dissenting opinion was as widely quoted as the opinion of the majority of the court.

Justice Harlan was the oldest man in years and in point of service on the supreme bench.

Justice Harlan lacked only a month of serving thirty-four years on the supreme bench, more than twice as long as any other member of the court, as now constituted.

He was appointed associate justice in Nov. 1877, and took his seat Dec. 10 of the same year. In that time he came to be known as one of the ablest jurists in the country, and his frequent dissensions from the decisions of his associates had made him better known and more popular with the people of the United States than any other member.

He was born in Boyle county, Kentucky, in 1833, and graduated from Center college, Kentucky, in 1850. Four years later he graduated from the law department of Transylvania university, and commenced the practice of his profession in Frankfort.

In 1859 he was elected to his first public office, that of county judge. He held the office two years and then removed to Louisville, where he became prominent in state and later in national politics.

In 1871 he was the Republican candidate for governor, and the next year the Republican convention of his state presented his name for the vice presidency. He was defeated in both contests.

During the civil war he served the union as a colonel of the Tenth Kentucky regiment, but was compelled to resign before the close of the war by the death of his father.

WALSH ARRIVES HOME

Released Banker Reaches His Friends in Chicago.

Intends to Take Up Active Business Life Right Where He Left Off.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—John R. Walsh, the aged Chicago banker, released on parole from the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., ate dinner at his Calumet avenue residence for the first time in one year, eight months and twenty-seven days.

There was no demonstration when the former banker arrived in Chicago. He was met by his attorney, George T. Buckingham, and a few relatives and friends who came to the depot in automobiles. The party was then driven directly to the Walsh home.

The greeting between Walsh, who has shown such a cheerful attitude during his long confinement, and his wife was dramatic. Not once had she seen the former banker since his confinement, as her age and health, broken down by worry and anxiety, prevented.

On the way on the train to Chicago, Walsh went over papers with his son Richard, preparatory to taking up his business life, just where he had left off. Walsh, whose life has been one of labor and incessant work, announces that he will not retire. All during his imprisonment he was one of the most active and cheerful workers in the prison library, but the confinement told on his health.

Pino Suarez Probably Elected.

Mexico City, Oct. 16.—Indications are that Pino Suarez, Madero's candidate for vice president, will be elected. He has carried Mexico City and is reported to have large majorities in Merida, San Luis Potosi, Cuernavaca, and Pachuca.

AUTO HIGHWAY TO BIG PANAMA EXPOSITION

AMATEUR OWNER-DRIVERS IN OCEAN-TO-OCEAN TOUR GET FACTS FOR CONGRESS.

LONG ROAD OF 4,500 MILES

All Autoists Expected to Aid Premier Drivers in Campaign for Transcontinental Highway.

A great automobile highway between New York and San Francisco by 1915. That is the hope of the automobile world, which is now intensely interested in the completed ocean-to-ocean tour of the trail blazers in twelve Premier Cars. San Francisco is making preparations for a wonderful entertainment for 1915, to be known as the Panama—Pacific exposition and there are thousands of automobile enthusiasts in various parts of the east who would like to attend in their own machines. For that reason the entire automobile world has its eyes on the daring amateur owner-drivers of Premiers who with their families and friends made the trip from New York to Los Angeles in thirty days, in an attempt to demonstrate to the world and the United States congress in particular the absolute necessity of this strip of road. That it will be something of a road, if it is obtained, is conceded by all. Congress will be asked for more millions than can be counted on the two hands to aid in its improvement. The ocean-to-ocean tourists, in twelve Premier touring cars, are confident they have proved that a national highway suitable for the gentlemen amateur owner-tourist already exists. Congress will be asked to improve this road. The transcontinental journey of 4,700 miles has been completed without a serious mishap. The forty-eight wealthy Philadelphians and New Yorkers, who included eight women, enjoyed their great tour hugely and are enthusiastic over the outcome. They carried their camps on their running boards and encountered daily experiences that cannot be had in the east. They drove their own cars and paid their own expenses.

Effects of National Road.

The building of a great transcontinental highway, which of course would be used by all other vehicles, in the opinion of persons who have studied the subject, would be more important to the western states than to the east. It would have a bigger influence on the communities through which it would pass, it is believed, than would the acquisition of another railroad. Transcontinental automobile tourists would naturally be people of wealth and prosperity and they would add to the prosperity of every community through which they would pass. Moreover, they would have occasion to make more stops than do railroad travelers. New hotels and small towns would spring up along such a thoroughfare as if by magic and hundreds of thousands of eastern dollars would be spent in the west that now go elsewhere. Thousands of easterners and Europeans will tour to San Francisco for the Panama show in 1915 if the great road is improved, while the annual traffic will be immense. Americans will carry out the logical advice to see America first with such a highway at their command.

Every autoist in the country is expected to join the Premier enthusiasts in waging a campaign for this great road. The bold daring of the amateur drivers of the Premiers who blazed the trail will earn for them prominent niches in the automobile hall of fame.

OXEN RELEGATED BY AUTOMOBILE SCHOONER

Ocean-to-Ocean Tourists Have Interesting Vehicle—Veterans All Along the Transcontinental Road Take Notice.

The car in the ocean-to-ocean caravan of twelve Premier cars that attracted most attention was the prairie schooner. Particularly was this modern vehicle of interest to members of the older generation all along the road. To them it seems but yesterday that the western trail was a procession of prairie schooners, but they were of a far different type.

The first automobile prairie schooner to cross the continent brought up the rear of the transcontinental caravan of twelve Premier cars, driven by their owners and filled with families and friends, who are prominent New Yorkers and Philadelphians. It was used as a commissary and baggage car and it was one of the chief attractions of the tour.

Comparisons between the Premier prairie schooner and that of the antebellum days are interesting. The former is capable of running sixty miles an hour over fair roads, while the maximum speed of the latter was three miles. The 1911 vehicle is equipped with the Remy electric lighting system. The rays from its electric lamps, inside and out, were of sufficient power to provide light for the entire caravan of forty-odd tourists.

The Consequence.

"That young fellow has been sowing his wild oats."

"I suppose that is why he looks so seedy."

Origin of "Canard."

The French name for a duck is canard and a French journal recalls the etymology of "canard" in the pejorative journalistic sense. A Paris reporter once upon a time in the hot weather could find no news and he fell back upon his imagination. He published an account of a remarkable experiment conducted in a farmyard.

A farmer took twelve ducklings, chopped one up fine and gave it to the eleven others to eat. A second was chopped and the remaining ten gobbled him up. For eight more days one duckling was served up to the others. At last, when only two were left, one of the two was given to the other to eat. This remarkable experiment resulted, therefore, in the one remaining duckling having eaten up his eleven brothers.

The story of the "Twelve Little Ducks" sprang at once into fame. A "canard" in a newspaper has ever since meant a statement nearer fiction than fact.

Persia's Pipe Guardian.

The queen of pipes belongs to the shah of Persia. Why is the great chieftain of pipes a queen? Probably because pipe is a feminine noun in French. The little shah's pipe was smoked by his father before him, and by his uncle, and by his grandfather, and how many more of the rulers of Darius' kingdom we know not. The pipe is adorned with all kinds of precious stones and is said to be worth £10,000. It is constantly guarded by a high court functionary, whose duties allow him as much leisure as the superintendent of the Persian arsenal, but as there is no arsenal in Persia so the extent of the sinecure may be judged. Still, this functionary is responsible. This is how his office was created: Once a grand vizier was found trying to pry out a stone from the pipe with his poniard. Then the office of guardian of the imperial pipe was created. What became of the grand vizier is not recorded.—London Globe.

A Comedy of Economy.

A comedy of economy is reported from St. Moritz. A stout couple, accompanied by a son and daughter who were also "thick," as the Germans translate stout, entered a crowded hotel at the busy time of lunch and ordered one lunch at table d'hote. The father sat down and finished two helpings of soup and all the bread near him and left the table, his place being taken for the entrees by his wife, who had been waiting with her children in the hotel corridor until her husband appeared.

The young man then took his mother's place to attack the joint, and he was followed by his sister for the sweets, all doing justice to the menu. In the crowd the tourists did not notice the unusual lunch, but the head waiter did, and when asked for the bill presented one for four lunches. The paterfamilias grumbled a good deal—and paid! — Geneva correspondence Pall Mall Gazette.

Winning the Derby.

It costs a good deal of money to win the English Derby. An authority tells us that a horse with the least chance to win will cost anywhere from $25,000 up, which will prevent the average clerk or newspaper man from owning more than half a dozen or so at the outside. Then there is the training, which is a thing not to be done on Sunday afternoons in the back yard. An experienced trainer must be employed, and his charges for the necessary period will amount to about $1,000 for each horse. The jockey has to be paid, and a good jockey would scorn the pay of an archbishop or the profits of even a senator. And if he wins he will expect a present. King Edward used to give his jockeys $2,500 for a win, which makes one wish to be a jockey. But of course it takes brain.—Exchange.

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The cheerful patient needed all his good spirits, for the severe operation had been a failure and the doctors were hesitating to tell him. The physician stood by his bedside in the hospital, and from his grave expression, the patient suspected the truth.

"Well, doc," he said, with a sad smile, "it must have been like this."

He fumbled under his pillow and produced an envelope which had been erroneously delivered in another ward. On the envelope was scribbled in pencil, "Opened by mistake."—New York Sun.

Mighty Jupiter.

Jupiter, the largest of the planets, is 1,300 times the bulk and 310 times the mass of the earth, and accomplishes its rotation on its axis in nine hours fifty minutes. As the equatorial circumference is 275,000 miles, the linear rotational velocity of a point on the equator is nearly eight miles a second.

Diplomatic.

Young Man—So Miss Ethel is your youngest sister. Who comes after her?

Small Brother—Nobody ain't come yet, but pa says the first fellow that does can have her.—Exchange.

A Kitchen Jar.

Lady — Susan, I've come down to the cook. Servant—I'd much rather stay in bed, please, mum. I'm very busy.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL
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exhibiting farm products of Louisiana and Mississippi will arrive at Dixon at 11:00 A. M. Thursday, October 19.

30 TO 40 MIMUTES TALKS

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Twenty-five Years Ago Today.

Protestant Episcopal church general convention in Chicago refused to drop the word "protestant" from its official title.

HEALTH HINT FOR TODAY.

In Lieu of a Vacation.

It is not the good fortune of all toilers to have an annual vacation. Yet for the general well being of man it is necessary to cultivate the holiday spirit at times. If you cannot leave your work endeavor to make your free hours ones spent on the picnic order. Dismiss anxieties from your mind, eat your meals out of doors and sleep out of doors. A few really lazy hours out of the twenty-four will prove a boon to the man or woman whose tasks are of an exhausting variety.

NO OCCUPATION.

She rose before daylight made crimson the east,
For duties that never diminished.
And never the sun when he sank in the west
Looked down on work that was finished.

She cooked an unending procession of meals,
Preserving and canning and baking.
She swept and she dusted, she washed and she scrubbed—
With never a rest from it taking.

A family of children she brought in the world
And raised them and trained them and taught them;
She made all their clothes, patched, mended and darned,
'Till miracles seemed to have wrought them.

She watched by the bedside of sickness and pain,
Her hand cooled the raging of fever;
She carpentered, painted, upholstered and scraped,
And worked just as hard as a beaver.

And yet, as a lady of leisure, it seems,
The government looks on her station;
For now by the rules of the census report,
It enters her: "No occupation."

His Share.

"How do you propose to support my daughter, young man?"

"But, sir, I was only proposing to marry her."--Exchange.

Opinion.

Stella—What do you think of marrying a nobleman?

Bella—It is like buying a fish instead of catching it.—New York Times.

How blessings brighten as they take their flight!—Young.

CHINESE WAR IS GREAT UPRISING

Popular Revolt against a Bad Government.

INTERVIEW WITH KHONG LOY KO

Senior in New York University Says Spirit of Rebellion Has Gradually Grown, and Bloodshed Is Merely an Incident.

Berlin, Oct. 16.—The Vossiche Zeitung repeats the report that the United States and Russia are negotiating a joint intervention in China and adds that negotiations have reached an advanced stage.

New York, Oct. 16.—It all depends upon whom you happen to ask if you want to get from original sources the true story of the causes, the leaders and the propoganda of the revolution which is now rocking the high chair of the Son of Heaven in Pekin.

The patriotic young Chinese of the Young China association here in New York will say that the revolution is directed against the Manchu dynasty, that Dr. Sun Yet Sen is its evangel and that a republic for China may be the outcome. Not so with Khong Loy Ko.

Mr. Khong is a senior at New York university, one of the young enthusiasts of the Chinese Empire Reform association, and a devoted absorber of the advanced thought of a hustling western world.

"Please be specific in the statement," he said, "that the present revolution is not the work of one man, or one party, but that it is a revolution of all the Chinese against a bad government. It is a revolution through gradual evolution, through the growth of a national spirit of unity. That it should be an armed revolution is, you may say, an accident, for the very complete organization behind it hoped to win the establishment of a constitutional government without bloodshed and bloodshed only came when the people were driven to exasperation."

The underlying cause of the revolution as this N. Y. U. senior saw it was the agitation for a national parliament, which has been growing stronger in the minds of the Chinese ever since the late empress dowager promised such a parliament at some time in the future. Two years ago a national assembly made up of delegates from every provincial assembly in the empire, was allowed to meet in Pekin and to have a shadow of advisory power, and out of this democratic body of representative men has grown the revolutionary organization which now expresses itself in armed rebellion.

RECALLED TO END REVOLT

Chinese Imperial Edict Restores Yuan Shi-Kai to Power.

Peking, Oct. 16.—Yuan Shi-Kai, formerly grand councillor and commander in chief of the army, and navy, who was dismissed from power and banished from the capital some three years ago, was recalled and made viceroy of Hu-Peh and Hunan provinces.

This action, taken by imperial edict, indicates the plight of the Manchu administration. Figuratively speaking, Yuan Shi-Kai is their last and best card. He is known as a strong man, and it was he who first organized the northern modern army. It is believed that he is the only man around whom the troops will rally, but it is uncertain whether he will accept the appointment, or, in accepting, can prevent the overthrow of the Manchu dynasty.

CHINESE HERE CONTRIBUTE

Great Fund for Revolution Being Raised in This Country.

San Francisco, Oct. 16. — Chinese revolutionary party in this city held a remarkable parade, in which hundreds of Chinese marched, carrying large banners on which printed in English were such mottos as "Long Live the Chinese Revolution."

Every Bischof Suit A Masterpiece

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You will be especially interested in several new models that we have just received.

A. L. Geisenheimer

The revolutionary committee here has already had printed two million dollars in currency for the new republic, which will be shipped to China as soon as the leaders in the proposed government depart for the orient. It was learned that practically all the Chinese in this country are contributing to the revolutoinary cause and the amount collected is reaching large proportions.

Servetus Statue Unveiled.

Vienne, France, Oct. 16.—The statue of Michel Servetus, the Spanish physician who discovered the circulation of the blood and was burned at the stake for heresy at Geneva in 1553, was unveiled here.

WEATHER FORECAST

Indiana—Rain today or tonight; cooler; fair and much colder tomorrow; increasing shifting winds becoming northwesterly.

Illinois — Rain today or tonight; much colder; fair and much colder tomorrow; increasing shifting winds becoming northwesterly.

City Marshal Is Stabbed.

Hardin, Ill., Oct. 16.—Elmer Carter, twenty-two years old, was brought here from Kampsville, ten miles north of Hardin, charged with having fatally stabbed Charles A. Rose, Kampsville's city marshal. It is alleged that Rose attempted to arrest William Carter and Elmer Carter, his brother, interfered.

NEWS IN SUNDAY'S PAPERS

Duke and Duchess of Connaught were welcomed at Ottawa.

Chinese government recalled Yuan-Shi-Kai to crush revolt.

Turks were reported repulsed in an attack on Boumeliana outpost.

Justice John Marshall Harlan of the United States supreme court died in Washington.

French professor has evolved plan to cut canal and turn Sahara desert into an ocean.

Clarence S. Funk, sued by John Henning for alienation, charged he is victim of frame-up.

Sultan, in speech opening parliament, said Italy violated international law in opening war.

Wickersham, Lehmann and Kellogg leading choices as successor to Harlan on supreme bench.

Ortie E. McManigal, alleged dynamiter, was sued for divorce that wife may testify against him.

John R. Walsh was paroled from the Leavenworth penitentiary and started home with his son.

Giants defeated Athletics, 2 to 1, in first game for world's championship, Bender weakening toward end.

I. C. STRIKE MAY CAUSE COAL FAMINE

MANY TRAINS WHICH HAUL THE COAL ARE BEING TIED UP.

Local coal dealers are commencing to feel the effects of the strike of the shop men on the Illinois Central and unless the strike is settled within a reasonable time Dixon people are likely to experience a coal famine. Several dealers, who have been delivering a great deal of coal the past few weeks, report that their supply is being rapidly diminished and inasmuch as no coal is being received from the south, it is evident that the stock on hand will be exhausted within a comparatively short time if the shipments do not soon arrive.

The railroad company is reported to be having considerable trouble in supplying the motive equipment now, inasmuch as the locomotives and cars which have got out of repair cannot be fixed, the trainmen and enginemen having received orders from the unions not to in any way usurp the duties of the striking shopmen. Thus when an engine crew finds their locomotive out of repair they dare not fix it and refuse to take it out on the road. Trainmen are also prohibited from making repairs to cars other than is necessary to get them in off the main tracks, and the number of trains being operated is becoming less daily.

As nearly all the coal used in Dixon is secured from the south over the Central the effects of the strike, if it continues much longer, will be felt by Dixon people.

N. D. H. S. DEFEATED MILITARY ACADEMY

The North Dixon high school foot ball team, with the assistance of several members of last year's union team, defeated the Military academy boys in the first local football game of the season Saturday afternoon at the Military academy grounds. The game was very well played and was largely attended.

DAUGHTER BORN

A daughter was born Saturday night to Mr. and Mrs. Will Godfrey at the hospital. Her name is Emma Jane Godfrey.

WILL OPEN NEW 5 AND 10 CENT STORE

L. A. WISE HAS A STOCK READY FOR INSPECTION TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

L. A. Wise will open a 5 and 10 cent store tomorrow, Tuesday, Oct. 17th, 1911, at 1 o'clock at 212 First street, one door east of the Princess theatre. Mr. Wise has been busy for the past month decorating the building and arranging his stock and tomorrow, opening day, he will have on display as fine a stock an dwell equipped store of this kind as one could wish to see. A number of special bargains will be offered on opening day.

DIXON EXPERIENCED AN EGG FAMINE

Local grocers experienced a famine in eggs Saturday, the local supply being exhausted before noon. Ninety dozen were secured from Sterling, but it was necessary for Manager Lennox of the local branch of the Sterling Produce company to order more later in the afternoon. Mr. Lennox announces also that he shipped 653 chickens to Sterling Saturday from the local branch.

PLOW SHOPS OPEN FOR SEASON'S RUN

As was previously announced was the intention, the Grand Detour plow shops opened this morning with everything in order for a continuous run of many months and a prospect that there will be no shut-down next summer unless for repairs. The entire equipment of the factory has been overhauled and put in the best of running condition and with the large orders which President Brinton secured from the big manufacturers to supply gang plows for their traction engines everything is favorable for a prosperous year for the local company and plenty of work for all the employes.

WRECK AT MALTA DELAYED PASSENGER

A small freight wreck at Malta yesterday afternoon, in which a locomotive and three freight cars, westbound, ran through an open derail delayed the evening train considerably, the Sterling passenger being two hours late.

ODD FELLOWS FORM DISTRICT ASSO.

LEE AND WHITESIDE COUNTIES FORM UNION FOR MUTUAL INTEREST.

At the district meeting of the I. O. F. encampment in Sterling Friday evening a district association composed of Whiteside and Lee counties was formed The association will hold but one meeting a year, the next one to be held in Rock Falls. Officers were elected as follows:

President—J. G. Loos, Sterling.

Secretary — E. J. Pierce, Rock Falls.

Vice Presidents—W. H. Lewis, Morrison; John G. Limerick, Rock Falls.

Each of the other encampments in the district was instructed to elect a vice president.

Grand Patriarch Present.

Grand Chief Patriarch J. B. Brown of Bloomington was present and delivered an address which was thoroughly appreciated by all. One candidate was given the work, after which short speeches were made by the visiting delegates and others. Twenty delegates were present from Rock Falls, Morrison and other nearby cities.

Following the meeting, those present adjourned to Cushman's restaurant where a banquet was served.

CHRISTIAN EBERSOLE OF STERLING DEAD

Christian Ebersole, for many years a resident of Sterling and a prominent worker in the Mennonite church, succumbed to an attack of heart trouble Saturday. He has been in failing health for about two years. He was born in Franklin county, Pa., May 18, 1837, and is survived by his wife and six children, Mrs. Henry Landis of Prairieville, Jacob Ebersole and Mrs. John F. Weber of Sterling, Mrs. Lee LeFevre of Polo and Henry and Mary at home.

Mr. Ebersole moved to Sterling in 1865 and later resided on a farm in Lee county near Prairieville until six years ago last spring, when he moved back to Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Donahue and sons, Marquis and John, have returned to Chicago after an over Sunday visit with Mrs. M. Jordan.

THIS WEEK WE FEATURE

Cloaks, Suits, Dress Goods and China

Yes Its a Great Sale. Were you in the crowd Saturday? The crowd was here and most of them got what they wanted. Bargains. Real ones. Come this week. SALE CONTINUES 30 DAYS.

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INTERESTING BITS OF ILLINOIS NEWS

Edwardsville— Miss Naanie Morfield, deaf and dumb, imperiled her life by dashing into the street and grabbing the lines of a runaway mule, attached to a wagon containing two small boys.

Elburn—Miss Edna Taylor, night operator for the interstate company, fought her way to the switchboard, through smoke and called out the volunteer fire department, after being awakened by fire in the building.

Pittsfield—Rev. J. B. Martin has resigned as pastor of the Baptist church, effective November 1, to accept a call from Pawpaw.

Griggsville—Rev. W. T. Marland has resigned the pastorate of the Griggsville Baptist church.

West Point—John Hadle, a farmer, mistook his son and daughter, for chicken thieves and shot them. They, too, had heard the noise in the chicken coop and went to investigate before their father awoke. They will recover.

Palestine—When Duane Shaw attempted to bury a dead horse the team with which he was pulling it shied and went into the hole. One horse was smothered to death, and the other lived but a day.

Murrayville— George Kennedy, a pupil at the public school, was struck by a football, which completely blinded him temporarily. He will recover.

Alexander—While picking pears, Owen Luby was struck by a falling ladder and one of his shoulders was fractured.

Morrisonville— While attempting to drive across a railroad track, John O'Rourke was struck by a train on Wednesday afternoon and seriously injured. He was taken to a hospital at Litchfield. Charles Waters, ten years old, who was riding with him, was hurled fifty feet and picked up unconscious, but soon recovered.

Joliet—Evening classes in reading writing, arithmetic and English, will be given by Chaplain Villars, assisted by educated inmates of the prison

Urbana—After November 1, students at the University of Illinois, who cannot swim 75 feet in the gymnasium tank, will not receive a diploma. But six or seven students of the college are good swimmers.

Pittsfield—F. W. Phillips, has resigned his position as instructor in mathematics and English in the Pittsfield high school to teach biology in the Bloomington high school.

Urbana— The push-ball contest between freshmen and sophmore classes of the University of Illinois, will be held Friday, October 20.

Rock Island—To avoid recognition after he had escaped from the Watertown hospital for insane, Henry Hudson blackened his face with shoe polish, but was captured here.

Rockford— After months of debate, the 400-pound fire whistle at the water works station, has been taken down, and the siren call will be heard no more.

La Salle —Declaring that for four years his suit against Theodore Strong of Ottawa has been continued so the defendant could go south and pick his oranges, John Anderson succeeded in getting the case set for trial at once.

Robinson —Hospital, insane, female, and juvenile wards will be features of the new Crawford county jail.

Taylorville— Stockholders of the proposed co-operative general store will meet Monday night to elect officers.

Pana— A movement has begun here to secure ornamental street lighting system.

Mt. Sterling—Good road boosters will join the Waubonsie trail movement which seeks to build a modern highway from Iowa through Illinois.

Sterling—Steven E. Hanks, a cousin of Abraham Licoln, and a pioneer Mississippi river pilot, celebrated his 90th birthday anniversary.

Sadorus—Resolutions were adopted at a meeting of the Champaign County Farmers' Institute, condemning the entire deep waterway proposition.

Rockport—The body found in Calhoun county near here has been identified as that of Arthur O. Witt of Quincy, who was drowned in the Mississippi river September 27.

Mt. Sterling—Twenty chicken pickers won their strike for an advance of two and one-half to three cents a chicken and returned to work.

Litchfield—Ida Culbertson asks a divorce from Ira Culbertson, alleging desertion.

Carlinville — Charles McCorkle was found guilty of burglary by a jury in the Macoupin county circuit court.

Pittsfield— The annual colt show by Pittsfield business men will be held October 21.

Shobonie—Voters of the village which has about 1,000 population, has decided to abandon corporate government.

Taylorville— The Christian County Poultry Association will hold its annual show November 27 to December 2, inclusive

Alton—Geo. Carhart, 20 years old, and Ferdinand Volbrecht, 69 years old, will play a game of marbles for the championship, which has been in dispute since 1851.

Carlock—Mrs. George Lippencott has a jar of gooseberries canned by her mother before she died 40 years ago. The fruit is in excellent condition.

DON'T WAIT UNTILL HUSKING TIME

Every farmer knows that freezing weather will weaken and often kill the germ of seed corn, when the seed ear contains a large amount of moisture. Every day now that we leave our seed stand in the field is subjecting it to greater risg and ourselves to greater danger of disappointment next spring. Jack Frost is liable to beat us to good seed ears any night, and his chances of winning grow greater every day.

DIXON COLLEGE NOTES.

Sunday afternoon a number of the students from Dixon college took advantage of the bright day and went to Adelheid park to pass the time in a quiet way.

The trees were clothed in the choicest colors of autumn and the leaves which had fallen added their bright hues to the green carpet that spread away on every side.

As usual on such occasions the first thought was of a picture, so considerable time was spent in arranging the restless group on an old log which furnished a picturesque setting for the scene. As the light was not of the best under the trees, a better spot was sought, but in their zeal to reach the place before the sun should set the party forgot to watch their footing and rushed pell mell through a thicket of burrs to the edge of a small creek and as it looked firm they did not stop to go around to the bridge, but were sorry afterward when they saw the condition of their shoes.

After the pictures came supper, in true camp fashion. A fire was laid and some trouble was found in making it burn, owing to the fuel being damp from recent rains. However after much fanning and patient waiting the water was boiled and a pail of coffee was made. The table cloth consisted of newspapers, and although the viands were served in a crude way the keen appetites seemed not to suffer but rather to enjoy the repast.

When all were satisfied the thought of each was homeward turned, as the shadows were beginning to lengthen. Gathering up the discarded paper, a small bonfire was made which furnished light while two or three songs were sung.

In going home the group became somewhat scattered, some going immediately to their respective abodes while a few attended evening service where they received a cordial welcome and invitation to repeat their visit. Thus ended a day when busy students had taken time to become better acquainted with Mother Nature before she finally enters upon her long winter sleep.

PICK IT TODAY.

If every ear of corn that you need for seed next spring is picked before October 20, is hung in a place where it can thoroughly dry and when dry is put where it will remain so, and if possible, in a place with uniform temperature during the winter, you will not have occasion to complain of your stand of corn in the spring of 1912.

One 14 ounce ear of corn will plant one row 80 rods long when two kernels are placed in each hill. To be perfectly safe, however, and to permit of a re-selection next spring, plan to get two ears for each row 80 rods long which you propose planting in 1912. The extra seed you save can probably be sold at a premium to your careless neighbor, and if not it is just as good as any corn you have to sell in the regular way, to feed to the horses, or even to take to the mill and have ground for meal.

Miss Effie Ivan of Chicago spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Fred Hemmen.

H. W. Leydig has returned from Wisconsin, where he spent a week on business. During his trip he met Ansil McCaffey, formerly of this city, and he reports the former Dixonite as prospering greatly in his northern home.

HARMON

Harmon, Oct. 16—Some of the farmers were threshing their oats, which have stood in the field since harvest time. The crop is better than expected after so much rain. Only a few of the outside sheaves were damaged, the inside being in good condition. One farmer said that in one of his fields the yield was 50 bu. per acre and in the other the average was 20 bu. Others have been threshing, but we have not heard as yet of their yields. Grain was drilled in last week in some places. It was pretty late for it. If the fall is not late in freezing up it will all be lost as it will not get sufficient growth to carry it through the winter. Some farmers are going to cut their second crop of hay, as the grass has made such rapid growth it will be as good as the first crop if they can get dry weather to cure it.

Corn husking is on and many farmers will commence to crib this week as it is dry enough to shell. The yield will be large. It never looked better than now. Seed corn will not be scarce this year and they expect to get a good price for it as the crop is poor in some western states.

Mr. Gephart has sold his farm of 200 acres for $125 per acre. It is a good farm and well improved.

The farm known as the Stoffragen farm was sold for $125 per acre. It is a fine farm and close to town, well improved and has good buildings. Land is becoming valuable around Harmon. It is very productive if well kept up. One man who has a farm near town says he would not take less than $150 an acre for his farm.

The ladies of the M. E. church will on Saturday, Oct. 20, have what they call a harvest home coming. Everybody is invited to bring something. They will also have an entertainment; also chicken pie supper with many other viands to tempt the palate. Young men, bring your girls; old men bring your wives; newlyweds come also; old bachelors come and meet some fair one and treat her; it may be well with you in getting an introduction.

Samuel Manning and H. E. Vroman are buying and shipping poultry every day to the Chicago market.

Last Saturday John McKeel went to Sterling to buy potatoes for winter.

Wm. Neitzkie of Hamilton was in Harmon Saturday on business, shopping.

People are picking winter apples to store for winter. There are many varieties, many of which are not good until spring.

Wm. Ryan, who went to Dakota to attend the land opening has returned. He is much pleased with the country. He tried his luck in the drawing.

The Harmon football team went to Dixon Saturday to play with N. D. team.

Reuben Conklin of East Grove was here Saturday.

Frank Hettinger has been busy shipping carloads of grain to Chicago.

Henry Brill moved his house onto a new foundation. He is fixing it up for winter.

Mr. Harrison of Hamilton was here Saturday.

Harry Ostrander is agent for gasoline engines. He has quite a number of them, mostly small ones, for the farmers to do light work, such as pumping and churning.

W. P. Mellinger has been re-siding and painting his store building.

Harrison Wadsworth took out life insurance last week, in the Illinois Life.

John Sill was here Saturday afternoon.

James Sullivan says that his sore thumb seems to be getting better.

James Scanlan has been having a very sick horse. He called a veterinary surgeon last Saturday.

Thomas Dur has an order for a large number of concrete fence posts.

C. H. Gray, insurance agent from Dixon, was here Thursday on business.

John Garland of Nelson was here Saturday.

Mrs. Talbot and daughter went to Sterling Saturday to do some shopping.

The show that was here two nights last week did poor business. Harmon is not a very good town for shows if they are not well advertised before they come.

Boozers seem to drink plenty of it in Harmon and vicinity as the beer wagon comes with a big load of barrels of beer besides the cases of bottles.

Wm. McCormick, who had his leg broken some time ago, is now about and walks as if it had never been broken.

CLARENCE FUNK SUED

Alienation of a Wife's Affection Is the Charge.

Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars Is Demanded by Husband—"Frame Up," Says Funk.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—Suit for $25,000 was filed in the circuit court against Clarence S. Funk, manager of the International Harvester company. It

CLARENCE S. FUNK.

was charged that Funk had alienated the affections of John Henning's wife. Mr. Funk said he did not know the person named in the bill and denounced the suit as a "frame up."

"The senatorial committee on the Lorimer case now sitting in Chicago is fully acquainted with earlier attempts of this sort. This suit will never be brought to trial. It is not brought with that expectation," said Mr. Funk in an interview.

Recently Mr. Funk became prominent in the Lorimer senatorial investigation by charging that Edward Hines had asked him to contribute $10,000 in behalf of his company to reimburse the underwriters of a $100,000 fund to "put Lorimer over." His story was responsible largely for the reopening of the Lorimer investigation Mr. Hines denied Mr. Funk's story.

FIGHT BREWERS' SHOW

Christian Endeavor Forces Call Mass Meeting to Voice Protest.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—Anti-liquor forces, headed by the Chicago Christian Endeavor union, are rallying to the call for a mass meeting to protest against the brewers' exposition.

While these forces are busy the brewers are just as busy showing the fallacy of the attacks, according to their viewpoint. When the international congress convenes Oct. 18 many startling statements are expected from the brewers. James Wilson, secretary of agriculture, has reiterated that he will be present as honorary president and will speak.

JOHN R. WALSH FREE

Former Chicago Banker Finally Receives His Parole.

Leavenworth, Kan., Oct. 16.—An order from Washington paroling John R. Walsh, the former Chicago banker and railway president, was received at the federal prison. The aged prisoner at once began preparations for the start home.

Mr. Walsh up to the time of his parole had served one year, eight months and twenty-six days of his five year sentence.

BOY BANKER IS CONVICTED

E. W. Butler of Chicago Found Guilty of Wrecking Illinois Institutions.

Lewiston, Ill., Oct. 16.—The trial of Earl W. Butler of Chicago, known as the "boy banker," ended in his conviction here. Butler was charged with having wrecked banks which he owned at Ellisville and St. David, in this county.

Under this verdict Butler gets the maximum sentence, a fine of $2,800, and from one to three years in prison

Johnson Elected by Teachers.

Mattoon, Ill., Oct. 16. — The fourteenth annual convention of the Eastern Illinois Teachers' association, comprising fifteen counties, closed here. A. P. Johnson of Urbana was named president, succeeding L. D. Coffman of Charleston.

Auto Accidentally Kills One.

Tuscola, Ill., Oct. 16.—Willis Winn was killed and Mr. and Mrs. George Winn and a small son injured when their automobile skidded and turned a double somersault in the road while going at forty miles an hour.

Moderator Twenty-Second Time.

Duquion, Ill., Oct. 16.—Rev. Marion Teague of Duquoin was re-elected moderator for the twenty-second time of the Nine Mile Baptist association, which closed its sessions here.

DEMENT TOWN DOINGS

Well, anyway, the Cub rooters can point out that it has been the booster teams that have beaten Chance's men all summer. Whereupon see the Sox fans wax wroth.

There probably have been times in every man's life when the Indian on a one cent piece looked like a whole tribe.

Our genial friend Ross Crawford announces that he has paid his subscription for the "Little Wanderer" one year in advance.

Some rum classifies "hives" as one of "life's little irritations" in this morning's Chi. Trib. Being right in the midst of an attack of the pesky things we are inclined to call that fellow a prevaricator. In our modest opinion hives are one of life's biggest pests.

Get one of Jerry Onnen's cigars. He's setting 'em up because of the advent of those twin—kittens.

Every mother thinks her children are merely possessed of animal spirit while her neighbor's kids have a natural streak of deviltry.

Time flies, but nobody swats it.

The petted pup whimpers the easiest.

The New York undertakers are tired of their name and want to be called "morticians." Which reminds us that a rose, by any other name, wouldn't cost as much.

Age brings a great difference in us all, doesn't it? For example, the small boy who is in love, tries to keep the object of his affections from seeing him looking at her.

A recent experience impresses on us that too many cooks spoil the appetite.

It is very probable that the fellow who stole a package from Eph. Horner's buggy Saturday night, thinking he was going to get a pair of new shoes, has had cause to change his mind, since opening the box and finding Mr. H.'s old kicks. That particular thief undoubtedly now believes that honesty is the best policy, especially when you get worn out stuff.

Grand.

Dear Ed.—I noticed a piano in the window of the City National bank, and was impressed with its appropriateness. You see, anyone, or at least most anyone, could go in and touch the piano and get a few notes, always upright or square. How do you like this one? E. C.

Helpful Household Hints.

How to make Curried Beef: First you catch your beef and nail it on the kitchen table, nailing it firmly at each end so it cannot get away. Then go to a livery stable and borrw a curry comb. Take the comb home with you and when you get there pass it rapidly over the beef with a motion which resembles that of shaking dice for chances in a raffle for a $3 diamond ring. If this process is kept up long enough the beef will be thoroughly curried. Curried rice is very nice, but rice is harder to curry than beef because it is harder to nail to the kitchen table and will not stand while being curied.

What to do with superfluous hair: Stuff a sofa pillow with it. If the sofa pillow will not hold it all put the rest in a bed tick.

How to reduce flesh and become Sylphlike. Live at $2 boarding house and split four cords of wood every morning before breakfast. If this does not reduce the flesh sufficiently eliminate the boarding house feature of the exercise entirely.

PROVIDE ABUNDANTLY.

Let us not be stingy in the amount of seed we pick, but let us provide abundantly, so that we may next spring select only the best for our own use, and so that we may furnish some reliable seed to our less fortunate, or rather, less intelligent neighbors.

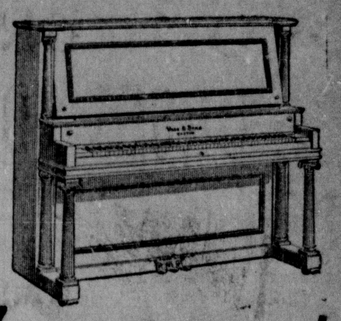
Remember, there is nothing so indicative of the thoughtful, progressive intelligent farmer, as amount and quality of seed grain that he provides for his field.—Illinois Farmers Institute.

SEED CORN.

Your stand of corn wasn't as good last spring as it should have been, honest now, was it?

Who was at fault you, your neighbor, or was it the season?

Did you pick your seed corn early, thoroughly dry it and then store it in a dry place with uniform temperature? If you did, your stand of corn, barring insect injury, was satisfactory, wasn't it? If you failed to select your seed corn at the right time or to dry and store it properly, or to test it you were the one at fault for the unsatisfactory stand the past spring.



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SPECIAL

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212 West First St.

Married Women's Names.

In England and in the United States a woman loses her identity in marriage. In Belgium and Spain the husband adds the name of his wife to his own. In the United States women sometimes retain the family name, as Mrs. Harriet (Beecher) Stowe. In the Channel islands the woman never loses her maiden name. In Spain the children write the names of both parents, as Llarena y Monteverde. In "Don Quixote" is the following: "Casajo was my father's name, and I, for being the wife of Sancho Panza, am called Teresa Panza, but by good right they ought to call me Teresa Casajo." In Scotland both names are preserved, and the woman is always known by her maiden name. In Wales it is the custom to describe the woman by her maiden name. The fact that a woman on becoming the wife of a man loses her identity is apparent in many portions of the Bible, when under the ancient custom man, on taking a wife, declared that she became "flesh of my flesh and blood of my blood," thereby establishing the old time saying that man and wife are one.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Tyranny of the Tip.

There have always been those who have revolted against the tyranny of the tip. So long ago as October, 1795, we find that ubiquitous personage, "Constant Reader," venting his grievances in the columns of the London Times. "If a man who has a horse puts up at an inn," he complains, "besides the usual bill he must at least give 1s. to the waiter, 6d. to the chambermaid, 6d. to the hostler and 6d. to the jackboot, making together 2s. 6d. At breakfast you must give at least 6d. between the waiter and hostler. If the traveler only puts up to have a refreshment, besides paying for his horses' standing he must give 3d. to the hostler; at dinner 6d. to the waiter and 3d. to the hostler; at tea 6d. between them; so that he gives away in the day 2s. 6d., which, added to the 2s. 6d. for the night, makes 5s. per day on an average to the servants." They did the thing pretty thoroughly in those days.

A Millionaire.

The term "millionaire" is of international use, but it does not mean the same thing in the mouths of different nations. To every one it means the possession of a million, but not necessarily a million dollars. In Great Britain a millionaire has a million pounds, or nearly $5,000,000, while in France they count francs, so that there a millionaire is a comparatively poor individual with but $200,000 to bless himself with. Millionaires are quite common in Prussia, but a million marks don't mean much these days, amounting to a trifle of $250,000 in our money. For millionaires of real class it is necessary to go back to old Babylon. The Babylonian millionaire had 1,000,000 talents and would not be regarded as a poor man even by a Wall street office boy. A talent was about $2,000, and a million of them would be $2,000,000,000.

A Triple Play.

It was at the end of the ninth inning. Yet, though the home team was two runs to the good, things looked black for them.

The visitors were at bat. There were no outs, and three men were on bases; also Terrible Terry Tomkins was up, and Terry's batting average reached the clouds.

Terry hunched his shoulders and waited confidently, and a groan went up from the bleachers.

The ball flew in three pieces, and the pieces flew in three directions. One was caught by the pitcher, one was pulled out of the air by the shortstop, and one landed in the first baseman's mitt. A triple play! The game was the home team's.

The bleachers went wild.—Philadelphia Times.

Breaking It Gently.

"I have called, sir, to see the photo of the lady with $25,000 who wants a husband."

"Can you keep your face straight?"

"Of course I can."

"Very well. We'll break you in first with the $5,000 applicants, and then gradually, as you grow stronger, we will work you up to the big prize. This way, please, and don't get frightened."—Exchange.

Dinner Among the Romans.

The Romans in the time of Cicero and Augustus took an early breakfast, from 3 to 4 in the morning; a luncheon at 12 or 1, and at about 3 o'clock the coena, or principal meal of the day, corresponding with our dinner. Concurrently we read of some not dining until sunset.

Early Morning Talks.

He is always doing something that causes a lot of talk."

"Why, I never heard any of it."

"He is the only one who hears it. He is always staying out at night later than his wife wishes him to."—Houston Post.

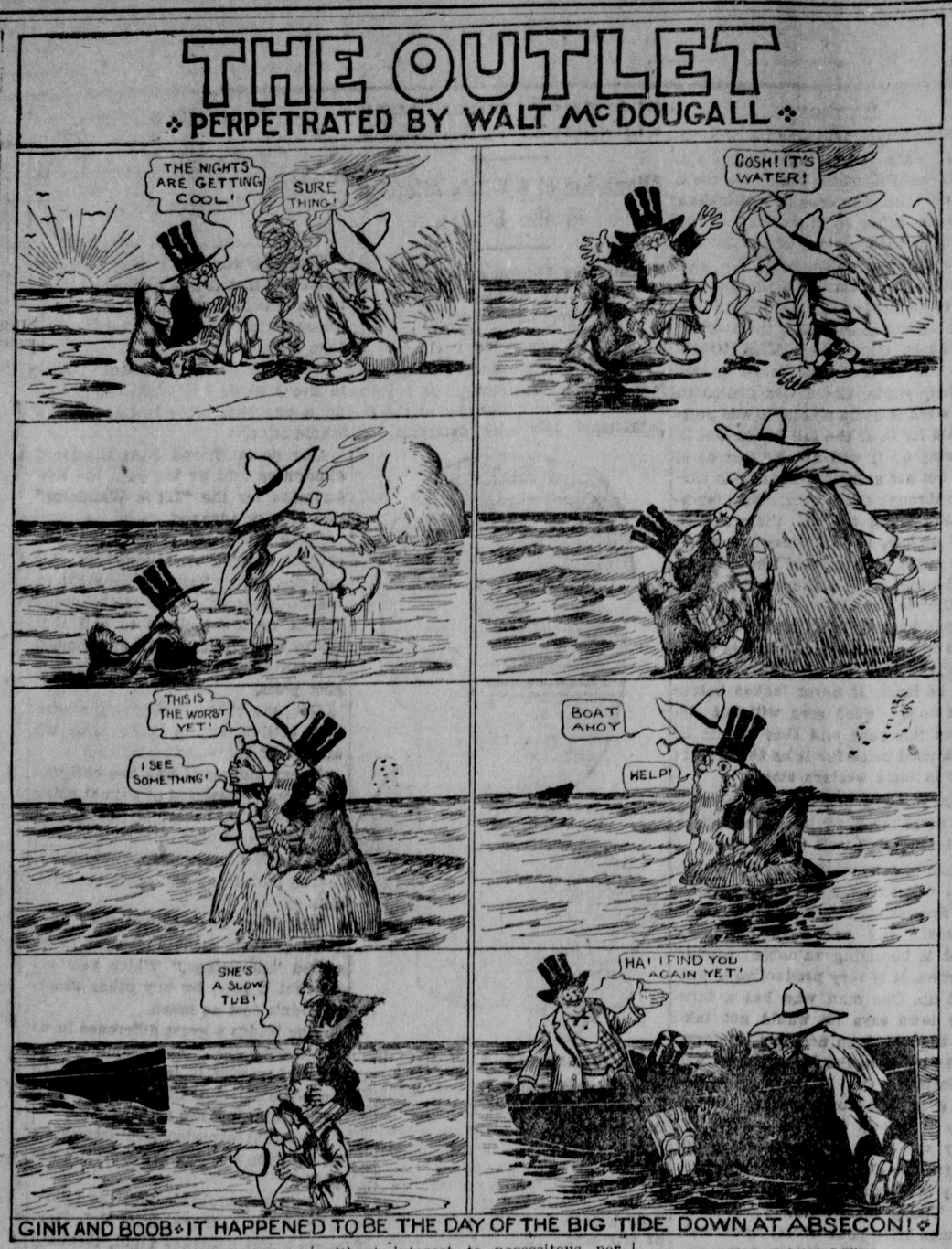
A Scheme.

Youthful Inquirer—Father, what is a scheme? Perplexed Parent—I can't exactly define it, my boy, but it is something which will fall through quicker than anything else on earth.

Coming.

First Graduate—I hear that you've got a job on the road. Second Ditto—Yes; it hasn't reached me yet.—Exchange.

Happiness in this world, when it comes, comes incidentally. — Hawthorne.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SURE THING!
GOSH! IT'S WATER!
THIS IS THE WORST YET!
I SEE SOMETHING!
BOAT AHOY
HELP!
SHE'S A SLOW TUB!
HA! I FIND YOU AGAIN YET!
GINK AND BOOB IT HAPPENED TO BE THE DAY OF THE BIG TIDE DOWN AT ABSECON!

The Out of Date Doubloon.

Should the reader find a pirate's buried treasure he will have to dispose of his Spanish gold at its bullion value, for since Aug. 1, 1908, when the common crier made proclamation from the steps of the Royal Exchange of London that after that date the doubloon would cease to be legal tender in the West Indies, including British Guiana, the doubloon has not been the precious thing it was. In 1730 and for about a century after it was worth $8, "more or less." It has ceased to be coined in its native country, Spain, and since 1908 it has been unpopular in the West Indies, where for a long time it figured in a mixed circulation embracing British, United States and Spanish coins. In the interest of romance, however, the name at least must survive. It signifies nothing more than that the coin was double the value of a pistole, but the doubloon was never such a mouth filling mockery as "pieces of eight," which suggest great riches, but mean only Spanish silver dollars, pieces equivalent to 8 reals.

England's Great Wall.

Directly across the north of England, between points near Carlisle and Newcastle, ran Hadrian's wall, the northern boundary of the Roman empire. It is generally supposed to have been erected by the Emperor Hadrian between 117 and 138 A. D. The wall was of stone and was eight feet thick and twelve feet high. It was guarded by eighteen military stations, garrisoned by cohorts of Roman soldiers, and at intervals of a mile were forts built to contain eighty men each. Between every two forts were four watchtowers. South of the stone wall was a series of earthen ramparts, and between the two ran the great military road, still in use as a highway. Of this vast work comparatively few portions remain, a matter of wonder, perhaps, when one sees the solidity of the sections of the wall which still stand, but easily explained by the fine stone walls in the immediate vicinity. —Travel.

How to Avoid Divorce.

My advice to husbands who wish to avoid divorce is this: Don't quote mother. Call up your wife while at business and ask how she is and tell her that you called her up just to hear her voice. Take her a box of candy, one of the new books that she is interested in, a flower, even if it is faded and you have picked it up off the street; a pretty pin or handkerchief, and don't ever lay your head on your pillow at night without having done something to gain and obtain a firmer hold on your wife's love. Kiss her every day. At least once a month meet her downtown and take her to dinner and the theater. Don't ever stop courting, for as soon as you do some other man will begin. Make your wife your companion. Take her out with you, and when you have to have a big time take your wife along and the divorce evil will be lessened. —Leslie's Weekly.

Loans Without Interest.

In the city of Barcelona, Spain, there is a peculiar pawnbroking establishment bearing the dainty name of "Our Lady of Hope," where loans are made without interest to necessitous persons on the deposit of any articles in pledge. Two-thirds of the value of the deposit is at once advanced, and the loan is made for six months and a day, but if at the expiration of that period the depositor should declare himself unable to redeem it, after another period of six months the pledges are sold, but if they yield more than the amount advanced the difference is given to the original owner. This institution is very popular. Thousands are every year suitors for the favor thus afforded by "Our Lady of Hope." —Richard Ford, "Gatherings From Spain."

Another Miss.

A young recruit was just commencing his first course of musketry. The instructor, getting very angry with him, told him exactly what to do, and each time he missed the target. At last the instructor lost his temper and told him to take a spare round behind the butts and shoot himself with it. Presently the instructor was startled by hearing a report from a rifle behind the butts; without a moment's hesitation he rushed round to see what had occurred, when the recruit looked up from examining his rifle and said quite coolly, "It's all right; don't get alarmed; it's another miss."—London Telegraph.

Very Much So.

"Miss Gwendolyn is a very superficial sort of girl, with her head filled with fine clothes and making herself pretty. I don't suppose she gives a moment to self reflection."

"Doesn't she? Just watch her when a mirror is anywhere in sight!"—Baltimore American.

Rackets.

An Italian woman was asked in court if she had any musical instruments in her home.

"No, signor," she replied, "nothing but rackets."

"What?" queried the lawyer.

"Rackets—the things they put in graphophones."

The Diplomat.

Condescending Chappie—I weally can't wemember your name, but I've an idea I've met you here before. Nervous Host—Oh, yes, very likely. It's my house.—London Sketch.

Self Help.

"What is your theory about self help?"

"Why, to help yourself if there is anything in sight."—Exchange.

His Writings.

Kidder—Do you write for art's sake or for the money? Scribbler—For both. I write for the magazines for art's sake and to my father for money.—Toledo Blade.

The Dear Innocent.

Mother—When he attempted to kiss you, why didn't you call me? Daughter (innocently)—Well, mamma, dear, I didn't know you wanted to be kissed.

The Turning Point.

Maud—I hear Jack turned up at your house again last night. Ethel—Yes, and got turned down as usual.—Boston Transcript

She Was Persistent.

A huge package once reached Sir Walter Scott from a young lady in America for which he had to pay $25 expressage. It contained a manuscript play and a letter from the fair author requesting Scott to read and correct her work, write a prologue and an epilogue, arrange for its production at Drury Lane and negotiate with a publisher for the copyright. That was bad enough, but worse was to follow. About a fortnight later arrived another mighty packet, charged with a similar postage. Scott, who had not grown wiser by experience, paid the charges and opened the parcel. Out came a duplicate copy of the play and a second letter from the authoress, stating that as the weather had been stormy and she feared something might have happened to her former manuscript she had thought it prudent to send him a duplicate.

How Centipedes Walk.

An eminent authority has investigated the peculiar wavy motion of centipedes and millepedes to determine the manner in which these animals manage to use their superabundant pedal extremities so gracefully and harmoniously. It has been found that the legs move in groups or waves, each wave including a definite number of legs. The number of waves included in the length of the body is constant for each species. In millepedes the waves of each side are synchronous. In centipedes they are symmetically alternate, giving rise to beautifully accordant movements. The difference may be explained by suggesting that the millepede moves like a pacing horse, the centipede like a trotter.—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Pleasant Surprise.

A young man in Indianapolis felt his heart sink as he pulled from his mail box a letter of the wedding invitation type. That was the fifth he had received this season, and he had begun to wonder whether he had any friends left in the single state.

"Another five dollar bill busted to mash," he mourned.

Then he opened the envelope. But it was only the announcement of a wedding that had taken place the week before. And he found in the same cover a check for $5.

It was then that he recalled a bet made with a friend years before. The conditions were that the one first married should pay the other $5.—Indianapolis News.

And Upside Down at That.

"Where does this train stop next?" asked the nervous traveler on an uncertain railway.

"Well, boss," replied the porter, "dat's three washouts an' some bad track right along here, an' she's liable to stop mos' any place mos' any minute."—Washington Star.

Experienced.

"That trained nurse is quite remarkable. She made a man I know cough up a brass tack at the hospital."

"That's nothing to what she can do. She made the young doctor she's engaged to cough up a diamond ring."—Baltimore American.

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You've got the wrong key.
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We want to put you at the big end of the horn.
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Our publicity brings the money to your door.
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We desire at this time to offer to our old customers the opportunity of securing their Winter's supply of coke at the above prices, but to secure such prices, contracts must be signed for approximately your Winter supply.
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MOST everybody reads the ads. in this paper. They furnish as much news to the man in town and on the farm as the personals, and often more. Peter Smith's wife wants a new hat. Smith sees by the paper that Jones is selling hats at so much. Johnson's store ad. is missing from the paper—Johnson's trying a non-advertising policy.
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Smith's wife gets her hat.
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Wanted. All kinds of furniture to repair and upholster at 120 E. First St. Henry Rector. Phone 78. 31 12*

Wanted: To know who needs for home, office or school use, the best atlasses ever published by the Cram Publishing House. Latest information from the U. S. Census Bureau; statistics, prices, population, irrigation maps, map of every state, of each island possession and of every country in the world, etc. All maps from new 1911 plates. Most authentic information along all up to date questions. The atlas, a fine present to a friend. H. V. Baldwin, Dixon, Ill. Gen. Agt. for Lee Co. 31tf

Wanted. 40 or 80 acres of corn to husk by the bushel. Telephone 14384. 41 3

Wanted. Competent girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. J. A. Forrest, 804 E. 2nd St. 42 3

Wanted. Middle aged gentlemen with good references to cover Dixon, Polo, Freeport, Savannah, Clinton, Moline, Davenport, Rock Island, Sterling and Kewanee. All winter's job. $2.75 per day. Commence now. GLEN BROTHERS, Rochester, N. Y. oct14 28*

Wanted. Neat appearing young man to drive and solicit in country. Road job open to right man. Apply Ed. McDonnell, Nachusa House, between 10 and 12 a. m. Sunday. 1*

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For Sale. Duroc Jersey boars, sired by registered hog; March pigs with good bone and size. John Trouth, 2 1-2 miles west of milk factory, on Bovey farm. 41 6

For Sale. My residence property, 709 Highland Ave. A great bargain if taken within ten days. Mrs. Emma Corkery. 37 6*

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For Sale. Holstein bull. Enquire of John Schaffler, 5 1-2 miles east of Dixon on Daysville road. 40 3*

For Sale. A cook stove and a gasoline stove, in good condition. Carl Elsener, 425 Barker Ave., Loveland Place. 42 3*

For Sale. My residence property, 114 Peoria Ave. Enquire of Mrs. Mary F. Daly. 12tf

For Sale. Farm of 60 acres three miles N. E. of Amboy, 10 acres timber, balance work land; two good wells; some fruit; good buildings; half mile to electric road. For further information enquire of C. E. Thayer, R. 2, Amboy, Ill. Phone Lee Center. 11 24w1m*

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For Sale. Corn lands in northern Missouri. List your Lee county farms with me. L. G. Allen, lock box 27, office 204 First St., Dixon, Ill. 24 24*

For Sale Cheap. A good cook stove Phone 1033. 37tf

For Sale. Peter and Polly Paper at this office. tf

For Sale. At private sale, piano, pictures, furniture and a few choice articles, at the F. A. Watson residence. 39 6

For Sale Bills call up the Evening Telegraph. Prompt work and satisfactory prices.

For Sale. My residence property on Everett St. If interested see caretaker on premises, or obtain information from me at Nachusa House. Mrs. H. E. Finney. 31 12

For Sale. Two thoroughbred male hogs, good size; thoroughbred yearling stallion (with papers) four year old stallion, ⅞ Norman. G. A. Harms Route 7. Phone C-21. 31 tf

Come and see our crops; they are twice as good a in the county west of us, and last year we had many times the grain raised in Towner county. Our altitude and clay subsoil with shale below makes the difference. Even last year some grain crops sold for enough to pay for the land. They will do it again this year and I would not trade one quarter here for ten quarters in parts of South Dakota, where land has sold for more than the price of this and some for twice as much. Send for booklet. Farms for sale on any terms. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. D. 82tf

For Sale. Two fine Cocker Spaniel puppies, pedigreed stock. Apply to Chas. McDonald, 305 North Jefferson Ave. 42 3

For Sale. 19 foot launch with 3-horse power engine. Will be sold cheap. L. C. Johnson, phone 13261, 514 East Third St. 42 3

For Sale. Empty whiskey barrels. W. E. Flannigan, phone 268. 42 3

FOR RENT

For Rent. Half of double house on 3rd St. Enquire of Mrs. Marie L. Hopper, 417 E. 1st St. 18tf

For Rent. 2 office rooms, hardwood finish, tinted walls, running water; in the Evening Telegraph Bldg. Enquire at Telegraph Office. 15tf

For Rent. Modern residence at Bluff Park. Enquire of Mrs. Eustace Shaw. tf

For Rent. Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 115 Crawford Ave. Phone 1024. 40 3*

For Rent. Soper cottage of five rooms; furnace, soft water in house; corner Squires Ave. and W. Chamberlain St.; possession Oct. 15. Enquire at 305 W. Chamberlain St. Phone 861. 35tf

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Lost. Embroidered pillow case, on Tuesday evening, between 2nd and 6th St. on Galena Ave. Finder please leave at this office or 405 E. Second St. 40 2*

Lost. Eastern Star pin. Finder please call phone 856, or leave at Telegraph office. Mrs. Castle. 41 3

Lost. Brass top off gasoline tank of automobile. Finder please leave at Drew's coal office, 90 Peoria Ave. Reward offered. 41 3

PUBLIC SALE DATES.

Oct. 18—D. L. Fruin, 12 miles northeast of Dixon. Duroc hogs.

Dec. 6—A. J. Cooper, closing out sale, 13 miles northeast of Dixon.

Jan. 24—S. E. Eakle, Prophetstown, Ill. Brood sow sale.

Jan. 31—Kuper Bros., Bellevue, Ia. Brood sow sale.

Nov. 1—Allen E. Seavey, Palmyra township, 4 miles northwest of Dixon.

Nov. 2—Mrs. Downey, closing out sale; 1 mile south of Eldena.

Nov. 27—John Juehnle, closing out sale; 8 miles southwest of Dixon.

The Stake In the Game.

A party of apaches entered a Paris cafe to have a game of billiards. The game was carried on in great mystery and absorbed all the interest and attention of the players. They had an enemy who was to be "done for," and whoever lost the game was to "do" him. When the game was over the loser accepted the result without discussion. Not long afterward a workman was stabbed fatally as he was coming out of a dance hall. The man who had stabbed him quickly disappeared, and the workman was placed in a cab and driven to an address which he had given. This was in a certain street where a sister of his was living. The man was barely able to get out of the cab and to explain that he had been stabbed. His case was so serious that he was conveyed to a hospital and died a few hours later. The police then made an inquiry and learned how the murder was deliberately decided upon and savagely executed. The workman himself did not know that his life was staked on a game of billiards.—Paris Cor. London Telegraph.

Scotch Accent Too Much For Him.

The only real blot on my visit to Glasgow, says a writer in the London Sketch, is my total inability to speak with a Scottish accent. I rather pride myself, as most people do, on my vocal imitative faculties, but I confess to all the world here and now that I cannot imitate the Scottish accent. My Irish is beautiful; it would make all Dublin weep. My American is quite good; I could nearly always get anything that I wanted in the shops if I had the money. Anybody can talk Welsh who cares to substitute "p" for "b" and "f" for "va." But the Scottish accent eludes me. Sometimes I speak a little Scottish, tentatively, to the policeman or the tram conductors or the shopkeepers. The policemen draw their staves, the tram conductors stop their trams, and the shopkeepers put up their shutters. I am not quite sure, but I rather think that I shall abandon the unequal struggle.

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Potatoes, bu.	.40
Eggs	.20
Butter	.26
Lard	.10
Oats	.40@42½
Corn	.64

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Range of Prices on Chicago Board of Trade:

Chicago, Oct. 16 1911.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec	99¼	99⅜S	98⅞	99⅜
May	104⅞	104⅞	104⅜S	104⅜
July	99⅞	100⅛	99½S	99¾
Corn—				
Dec	64¼	64½	64S	64⅜
May	65¼	65⅜	65	65¼
July	65	65	64⅞	65
Oats—				
Dec	47⅝	47¾	47⅜	47½
May	50¼	50¼	49¾	50
July	46⅝	46⅝	45⅞	46¼
Pork—				
Jan	1517	1535	1517	1535
May	1510	1525	1507S	1525
Lard—				
Jan	880	882S	887	882
May	890	895S	890	895
Ribs—				
Jan	800	800	795	800
May	805	807	805	807

Hogs open weak to 5c lower.
Light—600@665.
Mixed—605@670.
Heavy—600@620.
Rough—600—620.
Cattle steady to 10c lower.
Sheep steady.
Receipts today:
Hogs—30,000.
Cattle—27,000.
Sheep—60,000
Hogs close strong.
Estimated tomorrow—23,000.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. TIME TABLE, Dixon, Illinois.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. : Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.

:123	Express	10:34 a. m.
*131	Clinton Exp.	5:00 p. m.
*191	Amboy Frt.	9:50 a. m.

North Bound.

*132	Ft. Dodge Exp.	9:50 a. m.
1124	Local Mail	5:22 p. m.
*192	Freeport Frt.	12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No.	Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6	3:21 a. m	6:45 a. m.
16	4:43 a. m.	7:20 a. m.
10	5:46 a. m.	8:30 a. m.
24	6:23 a. m.	9:05 a. m.
28	7:21 a. m.	10:15 a. m.
8	8:33 a. m.	11:20 a. m.
14	10:48 a. m.	1:30 p. m.
20	11:18 a. m. d'ly exSun	2:40 p. m.
18	4:04 p. m. d'ly exSun	7:25 p. m.
100	4:15 p. m. Sun only	7:25 p. m.
12	6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No.	Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
17	7:00 a. m. ex Sun	10:14 a. m.
99	7:10 a. m. Sun only	10:23 a. m.
5	8:30 a. m.	11:05 a. m.
13	10:00 a. m.	12:32 p. m.
19	12:30 p. m. ex Sun	3:43 p. m.
27	4:35 p. m.	7:29 p. m.
*11	6:05 p. m.	8:37 p. m.
25	7:00 p. m.	9:42 p. m.
**1	8:30 p. m.	11:02 p. m.
7	10:16 p. m.	12:51 a. m.
2	10:45 p. m.	1:57 a. m.
801	Peoria Pas. lv. Dixon	8:35 a. m.
	ar. Peoria	11:52 a. m.

* Denver Special.
** Sleepers only. Stops only for passengers to Des Moines, Oregon, Utah and beyond.

INTER-URBAN DIXON, CITY

West Bound Read Down				East Bound Read Up		
10	30	50	Assembly Park	20	50	10
13	33	53	Galena & Fellows	27	47	7
17	37	57	Galena & First	23	43	3
20	40	60	Office	20	40	60
30	50	10	Depots	10	30	50

Figures denote min. past the hour.
From 6:20 a. m. until 11 p. m.
Sunday, first car at 7 a. m.

INTERURBAN SERVICE.

Cars leave both Dixon and Sterling every hour.

First car leaves at 5:50 a. m. and five (5) minutes past each hour thereafter until until 11 p. m.

Local cars leave the office every twenty (20) minutes.

The Evening Telegraph by mail is $3 a year strictly in advance. Hereafter if not paid a year in davance the price will be $3.50. tf

A Famous Kitchen.

"It was our good fortune to see at least one thing in Paris which the tourist knows nothing about," writes an American woman from that city. "Every one knows about the Tuileries and sees what is left of the historic pile, but not many find their way to the kitchen from which the elect of the third empire were served, as we did. It lies under the Pavilion de Flora, its high arched ceiling resting on massive colums. It is divided into many sections, at the entrance to each of which there is a sign—gold on marble. Here we see 'Rotisserie,' 'Patisserie,' 'Section aux Sauces,' etc. The provisions for washing gold, silver and porcelain services, the tremendous roasting, boiling and broiling arrangements, the extra roast beef oven, six meters high and seven meters broad; a roaster with a capacity for six sheep and four dozen chickens all looked extra large and imposing to us, who manage to worry along in a flat kitchen, which has two things, however, which we could not find in Napoleon's dinner factory—electric light and a battery of washtubs."

Her Sound Advice.

The prominent citizen and favorite son sat at his desk, deeply immersed in the cares of his wide affairs. A delegation of party leaders was ushered in.

"Sir," said the spokesman, "you have been unanimously chosen as the party's candidate for governor of the state. Under present conditions a nomination is tantamount to election, and we urge your acceptance. The office seeks the man."

"Gentlemen," said the favorite son, "I am profoundly impressed by the honor done me, but before I accept I must consult my wife. I never take a decisive step without consulting my wife."

The committee bowed and withdrew.

At home the favorite son confided the circumstances to his wife, who listened with fond pride and wifely admiration.

"And now," he said in conclusion, "what would you advise me to do?"

"John," she said, "you must get your hair trimmed."—Savannah News.

Uncle Sam's Eagle.

The eagle is the king of birds, the lord of the sky, the bravest, noblest and most independent of the feathered tribe, and probably that is the reason why he was adopted as our national bird. His image holds its place upon our national coat of arms by sheer merit and not merely from empty sentiment. The noble bird, loving liberty, scorning confinement, at home and at his best only when invested with the wide freedom of the glorious heavens, is the fit emblem of the "spirit of '76" and of the government that that spirit won and established on the earth. Other peoples entertain the same high opinion of the eagle, since from the time of the institution of the Roman standard straight down to the present day he has appeared as a conspicuous figure in the heraldry of the nations.—New York American.

Too Pretty a Lake For That.

"China gave me many a shock," said the returned traveler, "but the one that nearly carried me off was administered in the Fuchau district. Out in the country I came across a beautiful little lake drained by a beautiful little river. The scenery was marred somewhat, however, by signs stuck up every few yards at the edge of the lake. I wondered what their import was, and on one of my trips to the lake I took a missionary friend along to translate.

"'Oh, that,' said he. 'There are not many of them left in this district. That is a warning that girls must not be drowned in this lake.'

"Somehow I could never admire my beautiful lake so much after that, although maybe I ought to have admired it more." —New York Press.

Ponies and Horses.

I have been asked a great many times if ponies are really more intelligent than full sized horses. They certainly appear to be. But the intelligence of any horse will develop under petting and human companionship, and there is no doubt that other horses, if given the same privileges that ponies enjoy and if their size admitted of their being handled and managed in the same way, would prove equally intelligent.—Outing.

Sheer Waste.

Wife—John, is there any poison in the house? Husband—Yes. But why do you ask? Wife—I want to sprinkle some on this piece of angel cake and put it where the mice will get it. Wouldn't that kill them? Husband—Sure, but it isn't necessary to waste the poison.

Stretches Politeness.

The Duchess of Blankshire (who has made a poor drive)—A little too much to the right, I'm afraid. Obsequious Professor (who is instructing the Duchess)—Oh, not at all, your grace; the hole has been cut too much to the left.—Golf Illustrated.

Variety.

Blodds—I never knew a woman so changeable as Mrs. Dashaway.

Slobbs—I know it. She never even wears the same complexion twice."—Philadelphia Record.

One Way.

Wigwag—I never knew such a fellow as Bjones. He is always looking for trouble. Henpecke—Then why doesn't he get married?

There's nothing half so good as laughing. Never sigh when you can sing.—Mackwarth Praed.

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NO NEWS FROM TRIPOLI

Turko-Italian War Eclipsed by Chinese Rebellion.

Italy to Garrison Towns of North African Coast with 70,000 Troops —Turks Are Starving.

London, Oct. 16.—Italy's anemic and newsless war has been thrust still further into the background of public interest by the Chinese rebellion.

In the complete absence of news of hostilities, for even the oft-sunk Turkish "warships" no longer figure in the daily dispatches, the struggle between Italy and Turkey, so far as print is concerned, is confined to speculation on peace possibilities and the outcome of the stiuation in the Balkans, together with Italy's prospects in north Africa if the state of war continues.

Information comes from Rome to the effect that the headquarters of the revolutionary forces will be at Bengazi which, with Derna and Tobruk, will be strongly garrisoned. The estimated strength required for the garrisons of the coast towns is estimated at 10,000. The present army of occupation, numbering 50,000, will be reinforced in November and brought up to 65,000 or 70,000. The expenses of the expeditionary forces in the first two months is calculated at $60,000,000.

Despite optimistic reports and reassuring official announcements the Turkish garrison in the hinterland of Tripoli is starving and in no condition to offer serious resistance. The government is greatly preoccupied and the war office realizes fully that the problem is most difficult and dangerous.

Skirmish Outside Tripoli.

Malta, Oct. 16. — There was a skirmish at the Boumiliana springs, just outside of Tripoli, on Saturday, in which 500 Turks engaged 3,000 Italians. The Turks retreated, leaving eight dead, some ammunition and one gun. Two Italians were slightly wounded.

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Catholic Clergy and Laity from all Over Country Unite in Homage to Popular Churchman — Great Convention This Week.

Baltimore, Oct. 16. — The pontifical mass at the cathedral in celebration of the golden jubilee of Cardinal Gibbons was one of the most elaborate ecclesiastical pageants ever witnessed in that historic edifice.

In spectacular splendor, impressiveness of ritual and hieratic distinction it has probably never been surpassed in the United States. To do honor to the primate of the American church illustrious prelates, purpled monsignori, priests of piety, learning and renown, and eminent persons among the laity came from far and near. The church was crowded.

In the ecclesiastical procession to the altar were men notable in the Catholic church and in general public affairs. There were the archbishops in violet, with the golden pectoral cross—such men as John Ireland, with his strong intellectual features and his sturdy figure, now becoming a little bowed; the imposing Farley of New York; the pious Blenk of New Orleans and the energetic Glennon of St. Louis, and many more, each attended by his chaplain.

And there were the many bishops, the mitred abbots, venerable heads of monasteries, an extended line of priests, among them members oft he various religious communities.

The cardinal, vested under the red canopy of the gospel side, a subdued and exquisite melody winding in and out from the strings of a harp, and when all was ready he moved with his throng of attendants to the foot of the great marble altar and the mass began. The picture was of superb dramatic effect.

The mass ended, the attention of the gathering was now turned from the liturgical splendor of the scene to the delivery of the sermon by Most Rev. John J. Glennon of St. Louis.

After the mass there was a dinner at St. Mary's seminary which was attended by the cardinal and about 300 or more prelates.

After the pontifical vesper services at the cathedral in the evening, the cardinal and the visiting dignitaries and clergy of the church rested for the further strenuous exercises attending the opening of the convention of the Holy Name society today.

This will be one of the greatest gatherings of Catholics ever assembled in America and will be a glowing tribute to the esteem in which Cardinal Gibbons is held by members of the church throughout the land.

In addition to the high officers of the church gathered here for the jubilee services at the cathedral Sunday, there will be in attendance members of the Holy Name society from all over the land. A conservative estimate places the number at 35,000.

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Poland China and Duroc Jersey Sale, Wednesday, Oct. 18, 1911; 8 miles northwest of Dixon. Joseph & W. H. Maxwell. 20 25

Nurses' record sheets in packages of 50 each at the Telegraph Printing Office. tf

Apples, pears, grapes. See salesman at car, south end of bridge. 41tf

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Special warrant under Ordinance No. 128, Series 1911.

Public notice is hereby given that the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for a special assessment upon the property benefited by the following improvement: Constructing a vitrified Tile Pipe Sanitary Sewer in First Street, Highland Avenue and Second Street in said City of Dixon, County of Lee, State of Illinois, from a point in the middle line of First Street Ten (10) feet west of the west line of Highland Avenue (at a sewer there located) to a point in said Highland Avenue Twenty-five (25) feet easterly from the west line thereof, and about Twenty-five (25) feet south from the south line of said First Street; thence southerly in Highland Avenue Twenty-five (25) feet from and parallel to the west line of said Avenue to the middle line of Second Street; and thence along the middle line of Second Street both westerly the distance of 195 feet and easterly the distance of 245 feet; with house connection laterals from sewer to curb line and the necessary manholes, as will more fully appear from a certified copy of said judgment now on file in my office; and that a warrant for the collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned.

Said assessment is payable in Seven (7) annual installments. The amount of the first installment is $159.24 and is due and payable January 2nd, A. D. 1912. The last Six (6) installments are each for the amount of $100 and one of such installments is due and payable January 2nd, in each of the years 1913 to 1918 both inclusive.

All such installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable annually on the 2nd day of January, from the 13th day of September, A. D. 1911, the date of issuing the first voucher on account of work done.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed at the Collector's Office in the City Clerk's Office in the City of Dixon, within thirty days from and after the date hereof.

Dated this 16th day of October, A. D. 1911.

Signed:

BLAKE GROVER,
Collector.

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With these precautions the grain separator will do a fair job of getting out the seed.

TRAIN CRASH KILLS SEVEN

Passenger and Freight Meet in Serious Head-On Collision.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 16.—Seven people were killed and twenty-two injured, four of them seriously, in a collision between Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 105, north-bound, enroute for Omaha, and a fast freight train. The accident occurred at Fort Crook.

Fort Crook is ten miles south of here. The accident is believed to have resulted from a misunderstanding of orders on the part of the freight crew.

Michigan Man to the Front.

Mineola, L. I., Oct. 16.—The first national guardsman to win an aviators' license was Captain George Mackay, of Ypsilanti, Mich., at the Moissant school of aviation. Captain Mackay was delegated to take up flying by the state of Michigan at the suggestion of Governor Chase S. Osborn.

KATE CLAXTON WINS SUIT

Decree Obtained by Charles Stevenson in 1901 Annulled.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 16.—Kate Claxton, the veteran actress, won her fight in the East St. Louis city court when Judge Vandeventer annulled the divorce decree granted in 1901 to her husband, Charles A. Stevenson, who, after getting the divorce, married Miss Francis Riley, an actress.

In giving his decision, Judge Vandeventer scathingly arraigned Stevenson, witnesses who testified for him, and attorneys who represented him in his action for divorce.

WATERWAY CONVENTION

Canal Is Declared to Be Solution of Living Problem.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—A resolution demanding a comprehensive solution of deep waterways as a solution of high cost of living, was adopted at the closing session of the sixth annual convention of the lakes-to-the-gulf deep waterway convention.

A committee of ten will be chosen from each state to obtain pledges for state legislators, congressmen and United States senators to support waterway legislation.

BOMB JURY PUZZLES ALL

Second Week of McNamara Trial Begins—and No Jurymen Yet.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 16.—The trial of James B. McNamara, charged with murder in connection with the dynamiting of the Times building, began its second week.

Whether the 800 or more veniremen remaining will be sufficient to supply a jury is being discussed, with the point in view that the trial eventually might be pushed out of Los Angeles county for lack of veniremen. This idea was not largely considered by counsel for the defense. Nevertheless, a vigorous struggle over every man in the jury box is expected.